

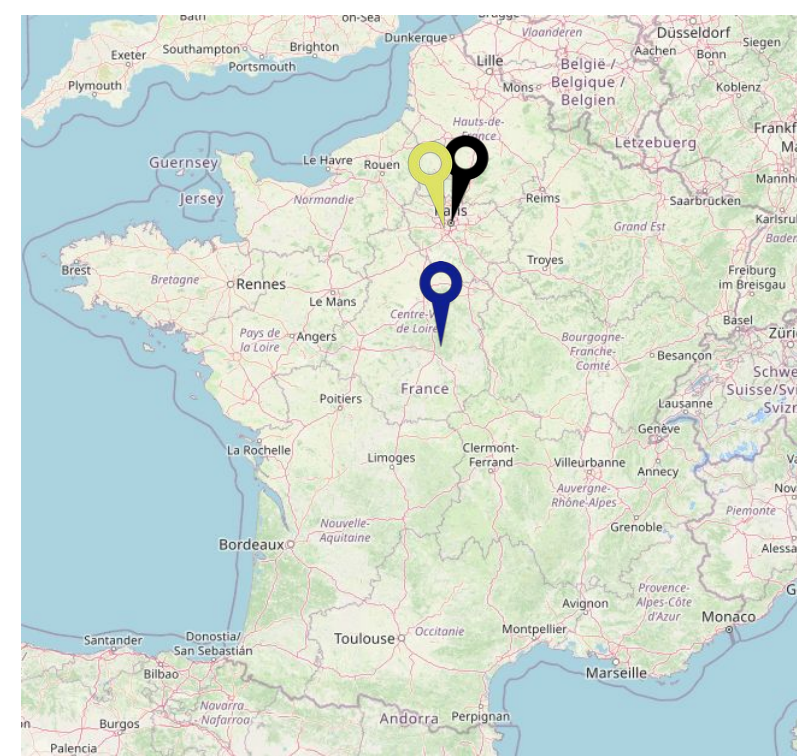
# Applications WR en radioastronomie

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# Introduction

- ORN (Service Scientifique obspm, UAR) :
  - R&D instrumentale
  - Maintenance en production d'un parc de radiotélescopes
- Outline
  - La **radio**astronomie
  - L'instrumentation « classique »
  - Apport de WR à l'instrumentation

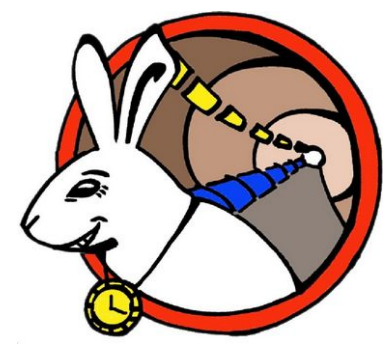
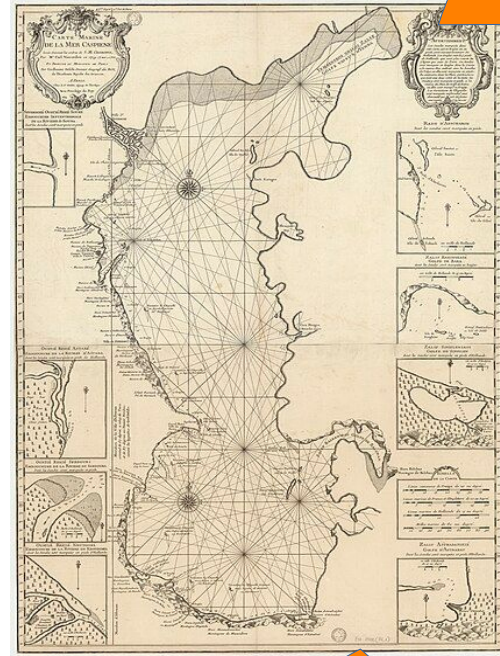


# L'astronomie, le temps et l'espace

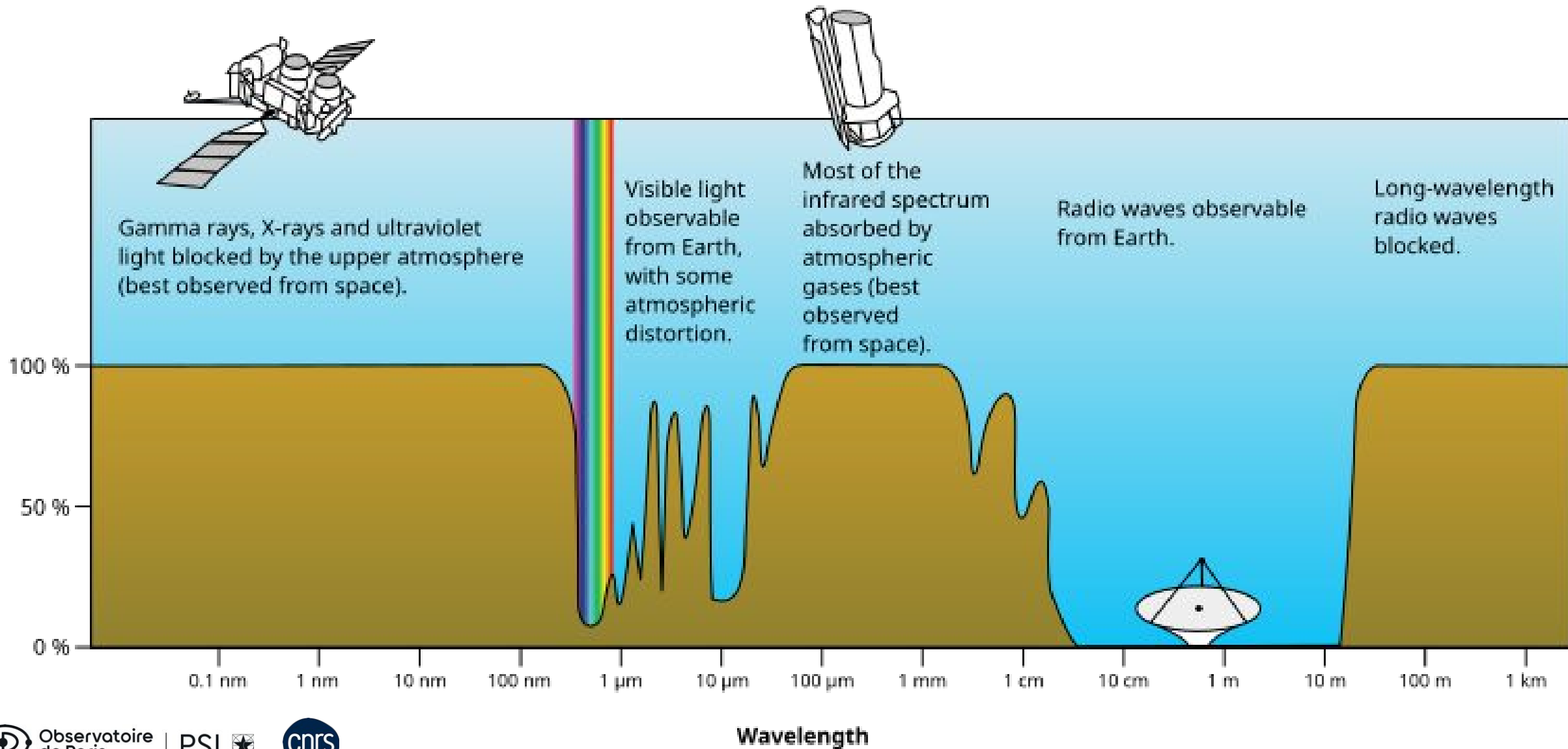
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Qques jours → agriculture

Qques secondes → navigation



# La Radioastronomie



# Les sources et phénomènes

## Sources :

- Étoiles (dont le Soleil)
- Planètes (magnétisées)
- Comètes
- Nuages de gaz (chauds, froids)
- Pulsars
- Galaxies
- Masers/Megamasers
- Quasars

## Phénomènes :

- Émission thermique
- Émission non-thermique
  - Raies spectrales
  - Bremsstrahlung/synchrotron
- Absorption (de raies spectrales)



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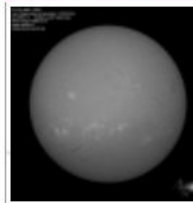
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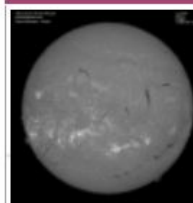
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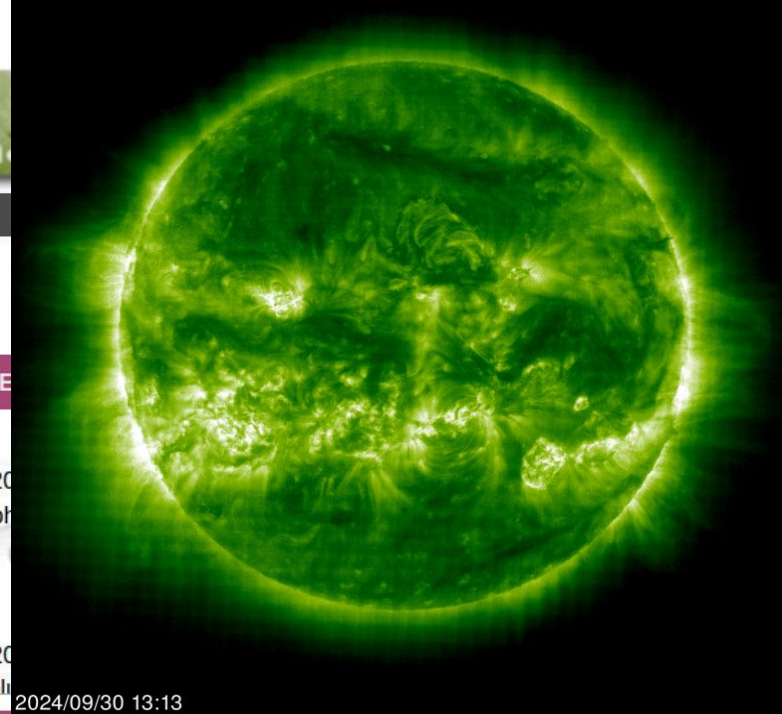
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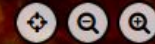
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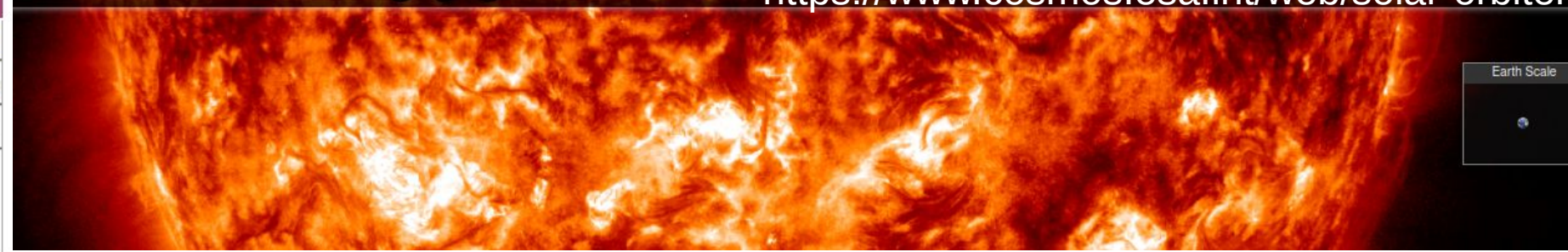


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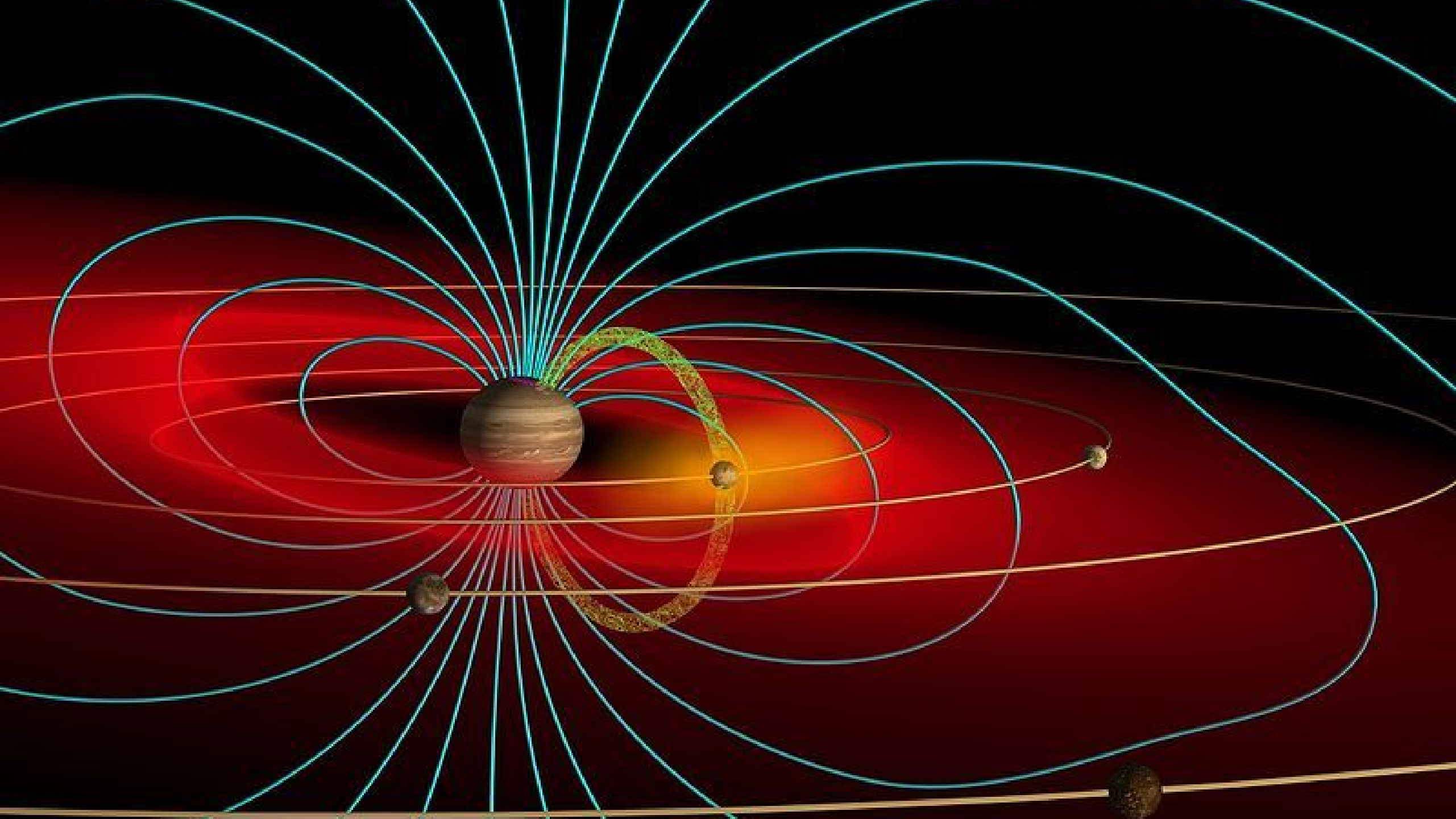
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Earth Scale



## STRUCTURE D'UNE COMETE

### Queue de plasma

Longueur : jusqu'à ~100 millions km

### Enveloppe d'hydrogène

Longueur : jusqu'à ~10 millions km

### Noyau

Diamètre de quelques km à quelques dizaines de km

### Queue de poussières

Longueur : jusqu'à ~10 millions km

### Chevelure (ou coma)

Diamètre : jusqu'à 1 million km



Comète 153P/Ikeya-Zhang



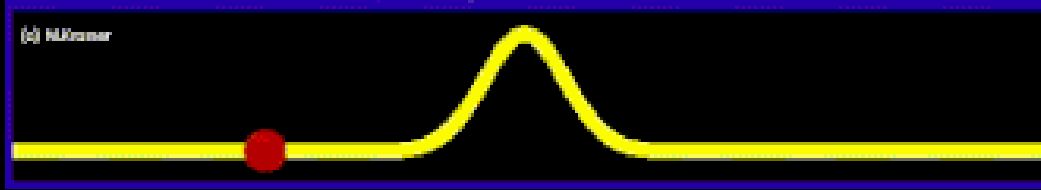
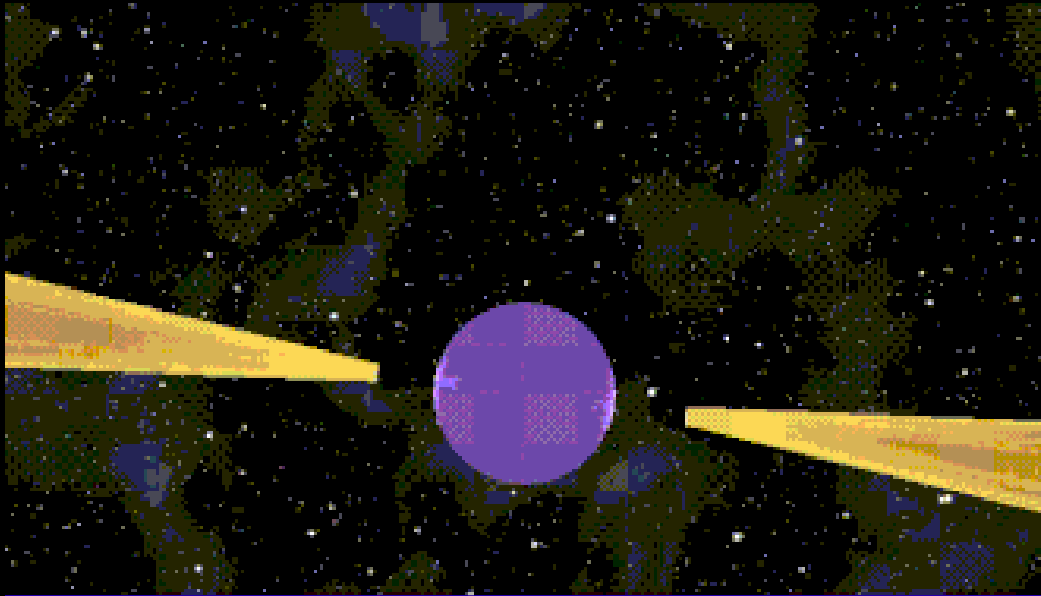
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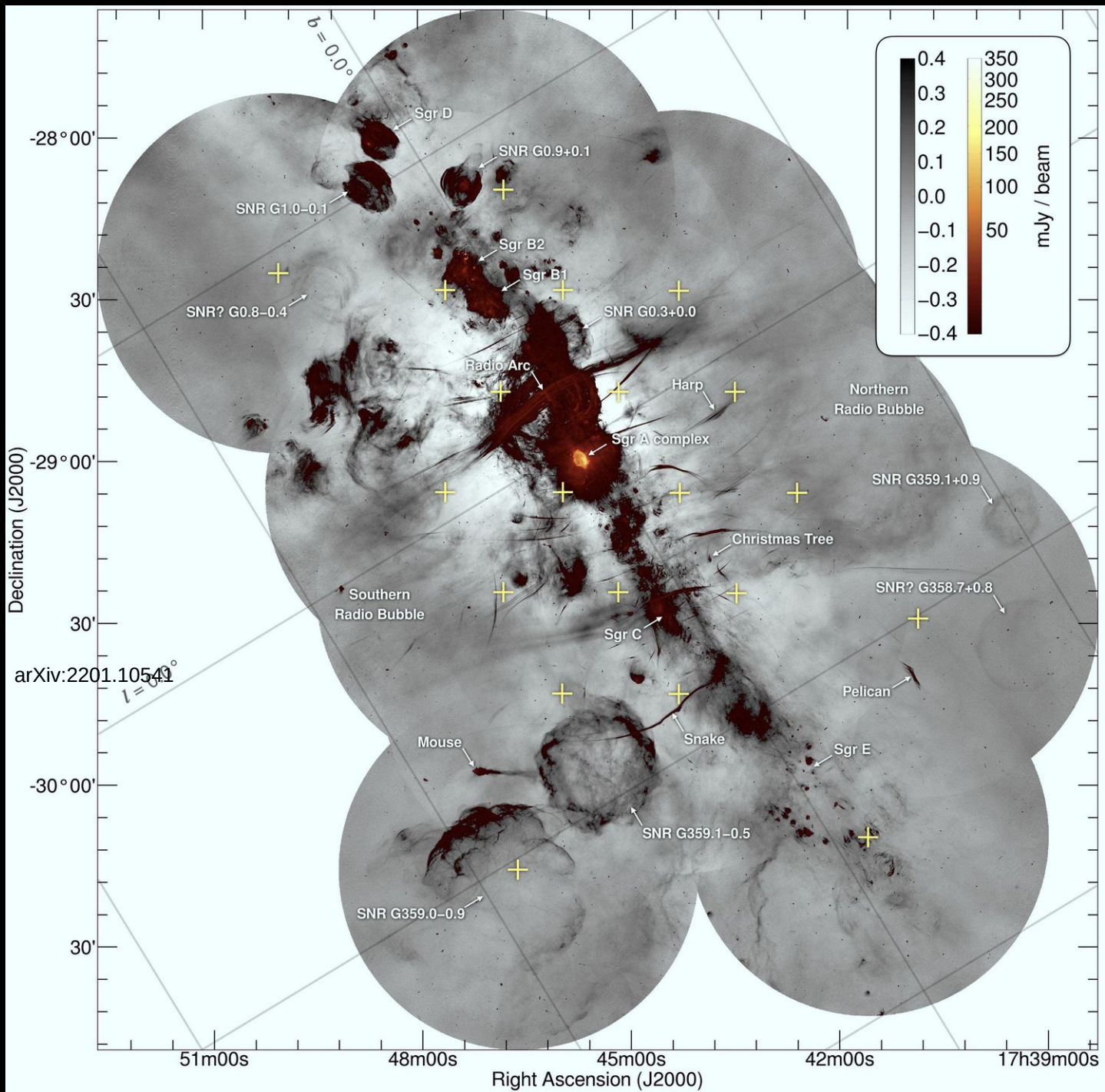
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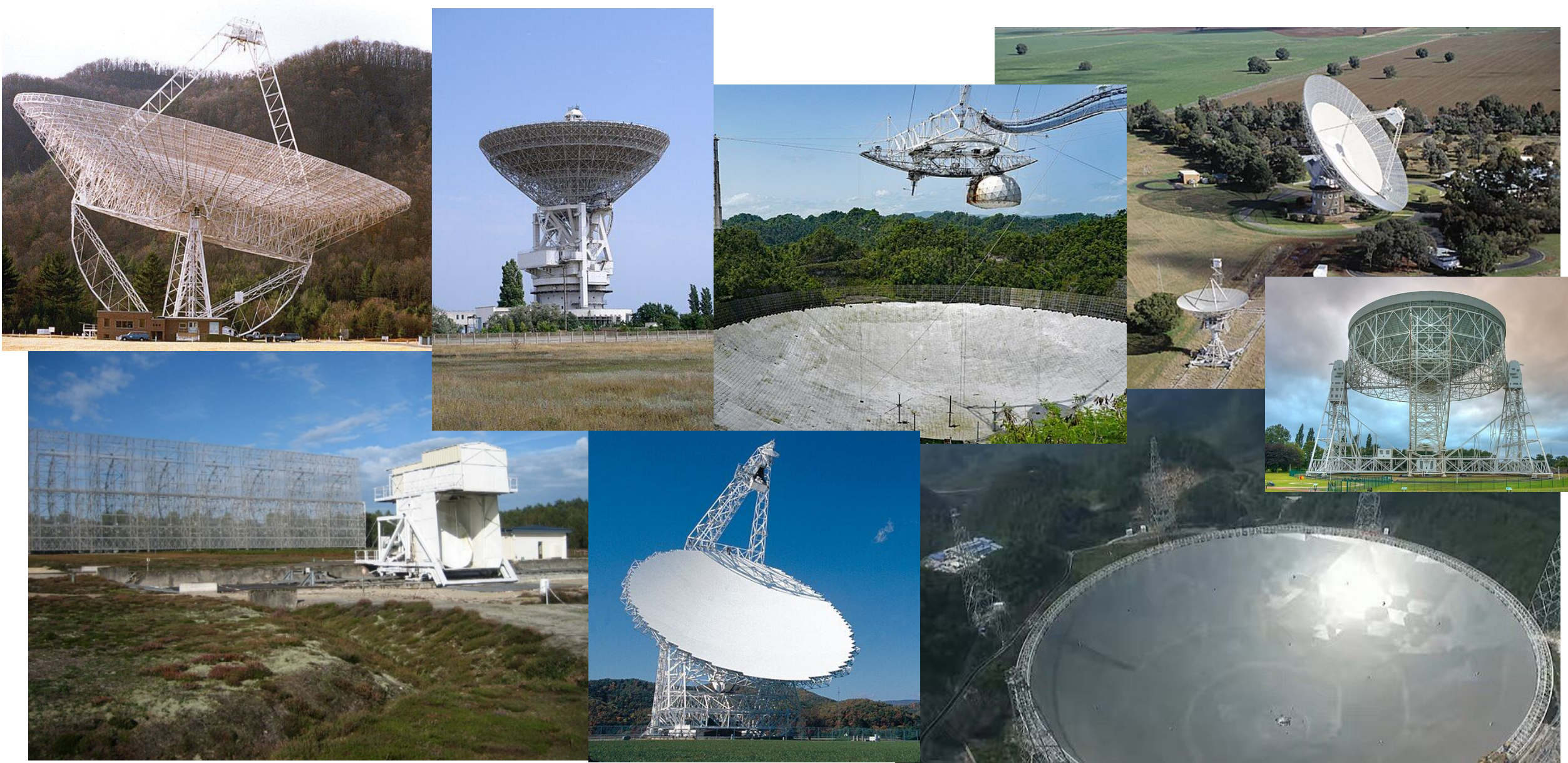




Fermi Gamma-ray Space Telescope

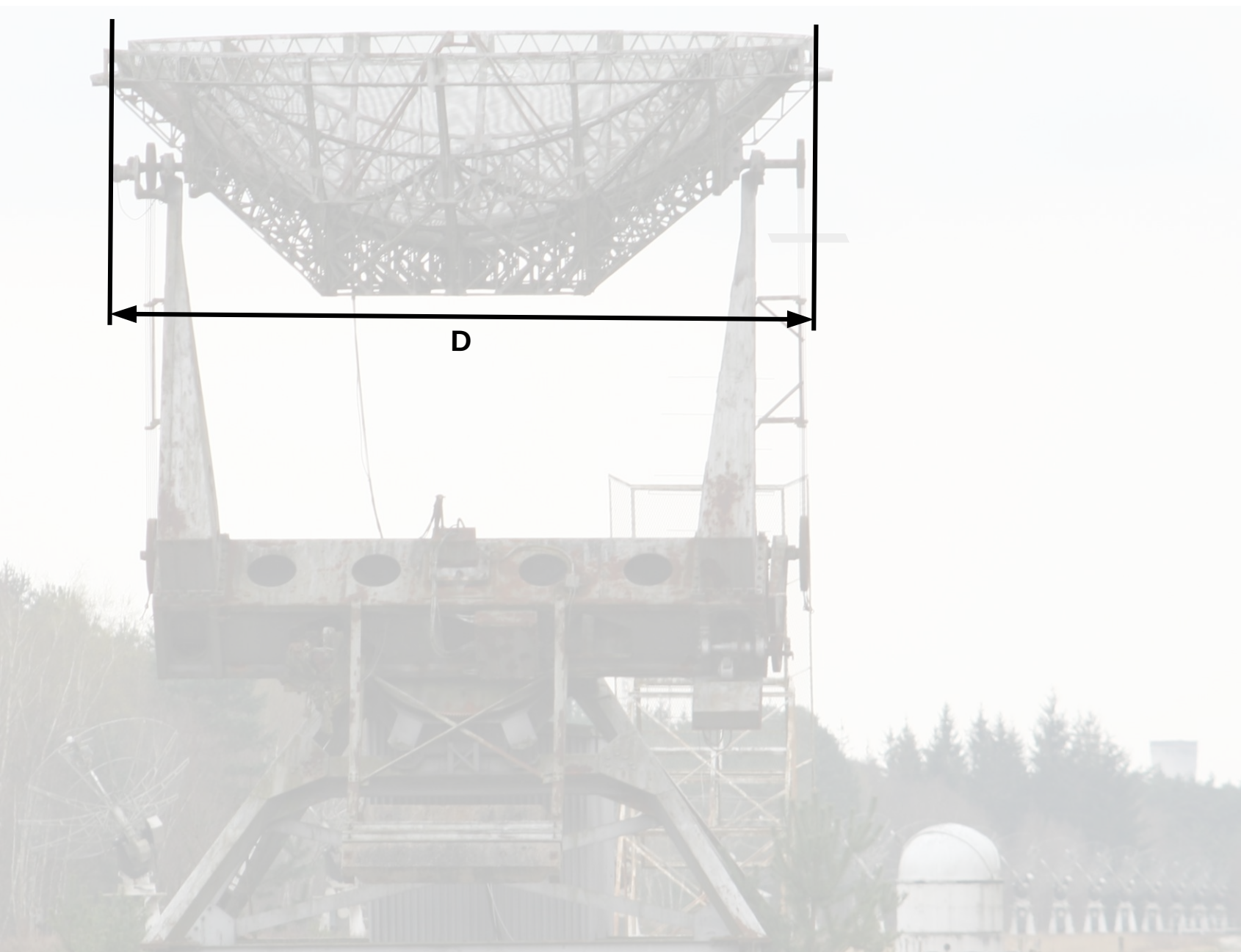


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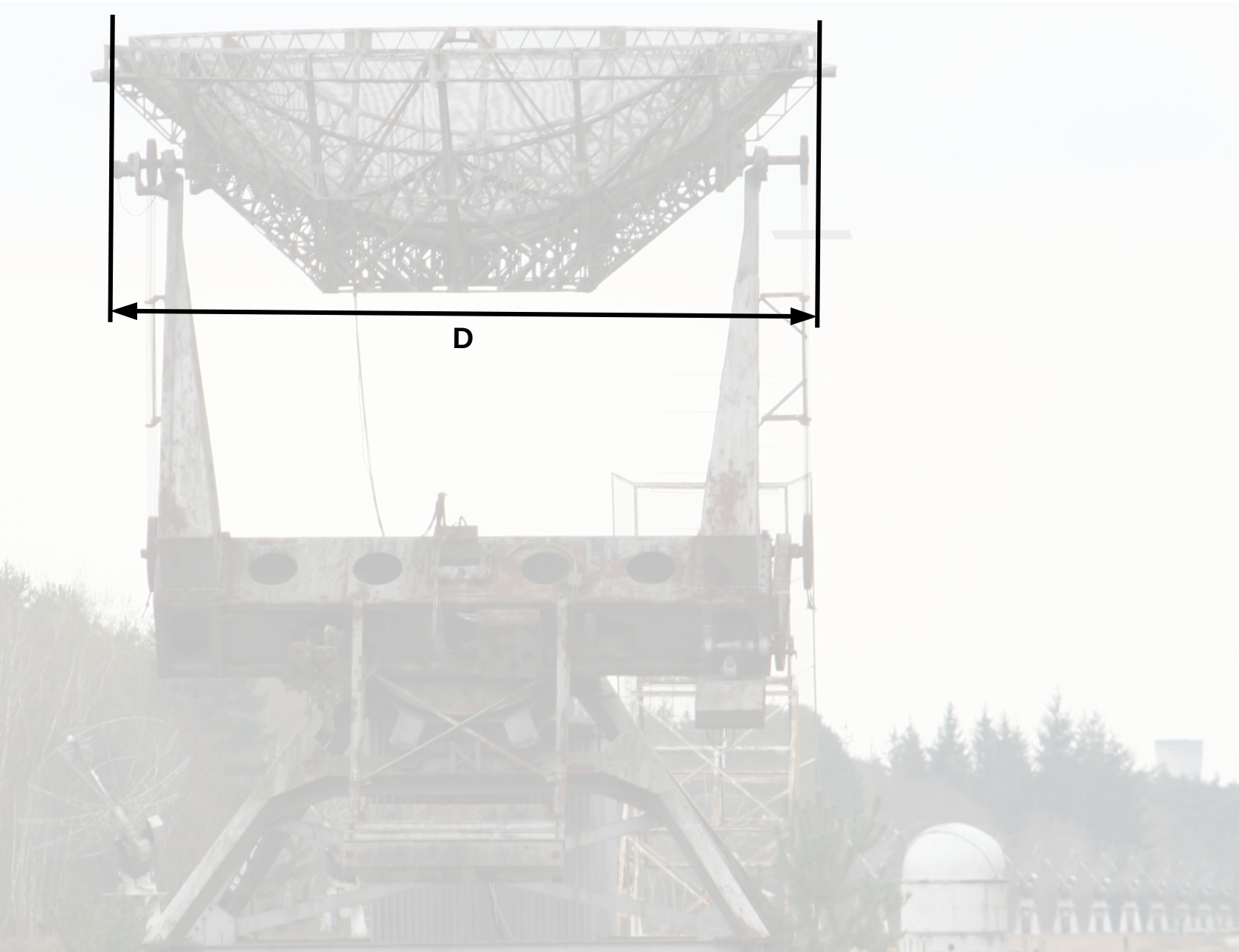
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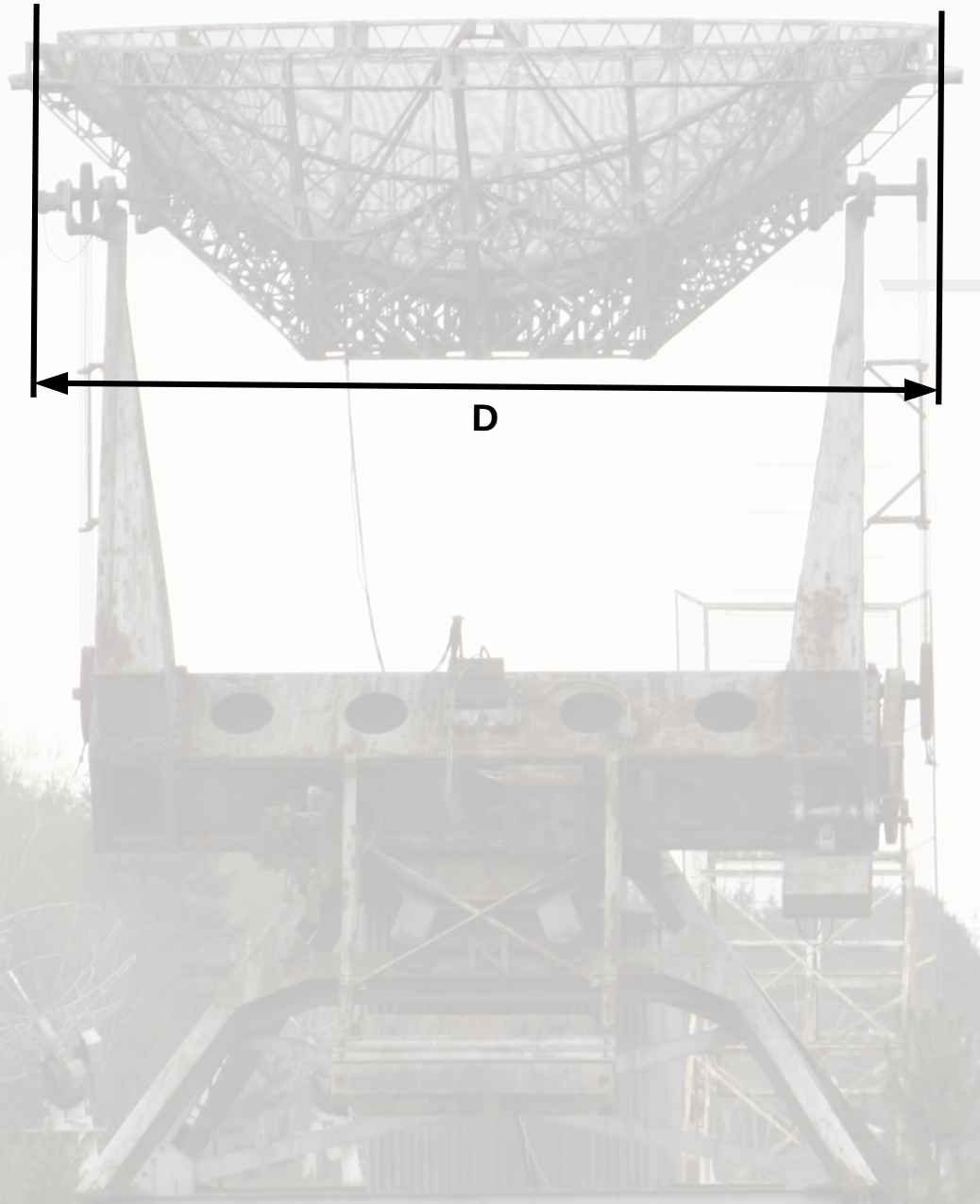
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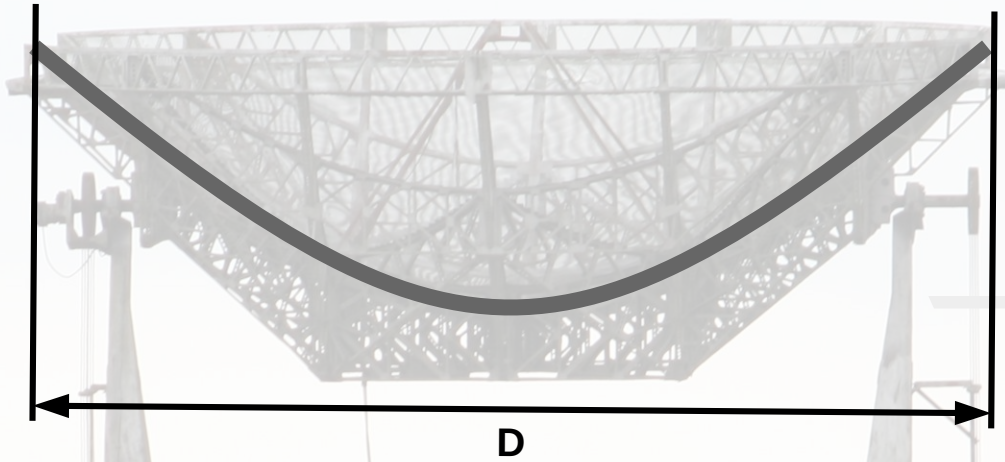


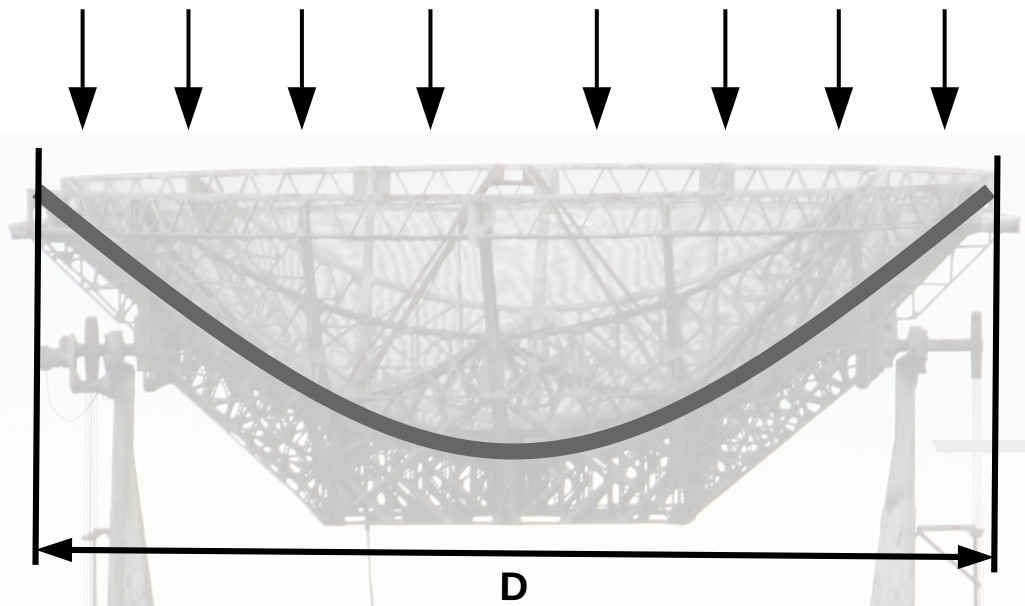


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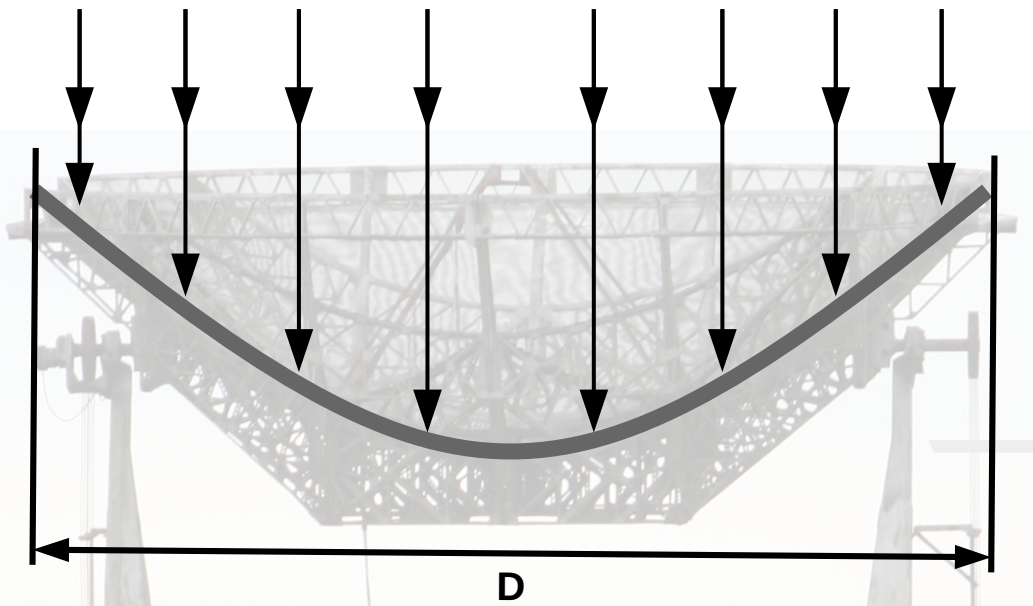




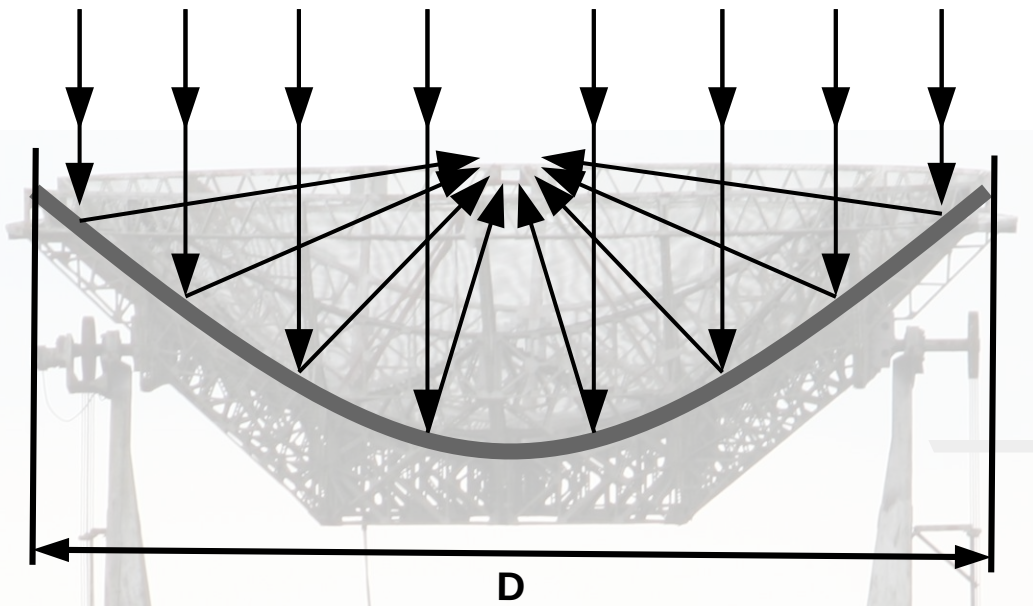
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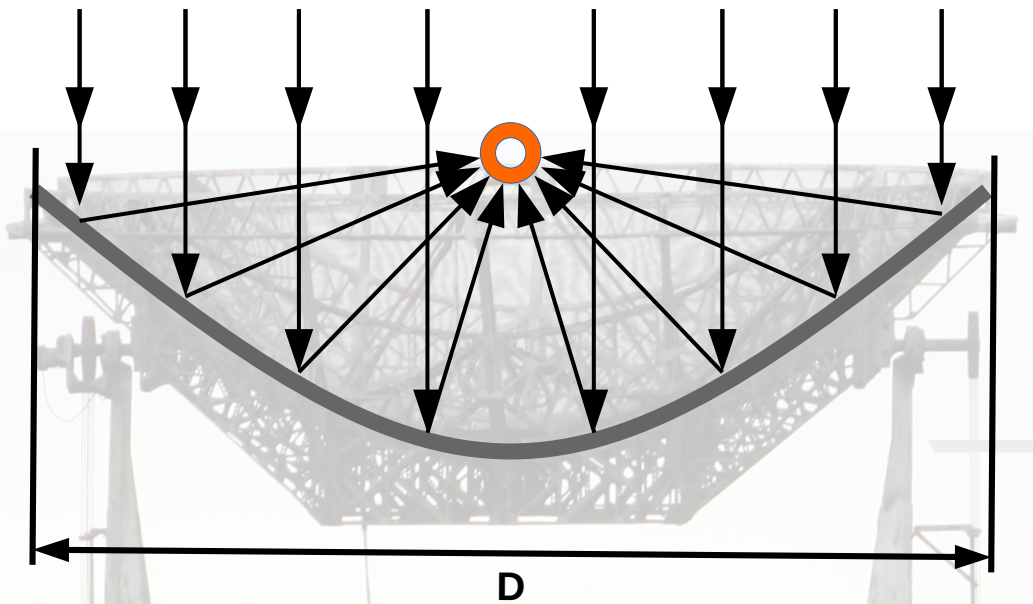
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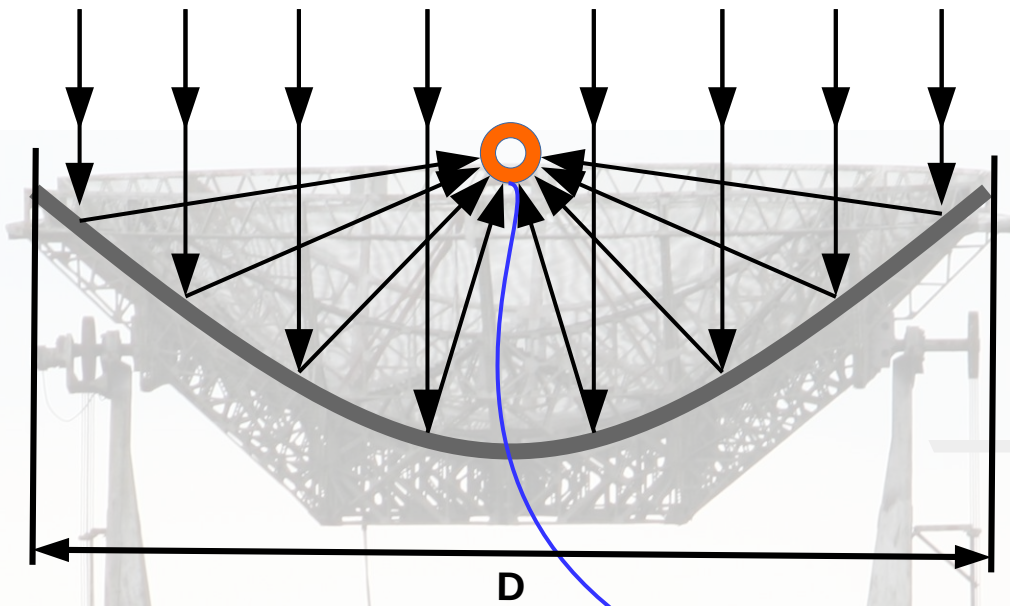
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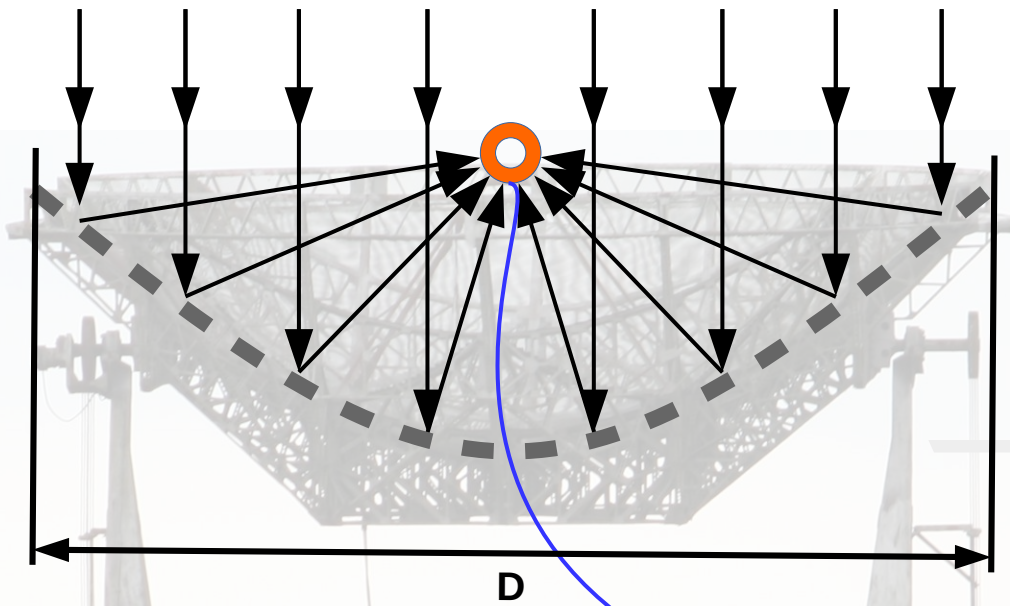


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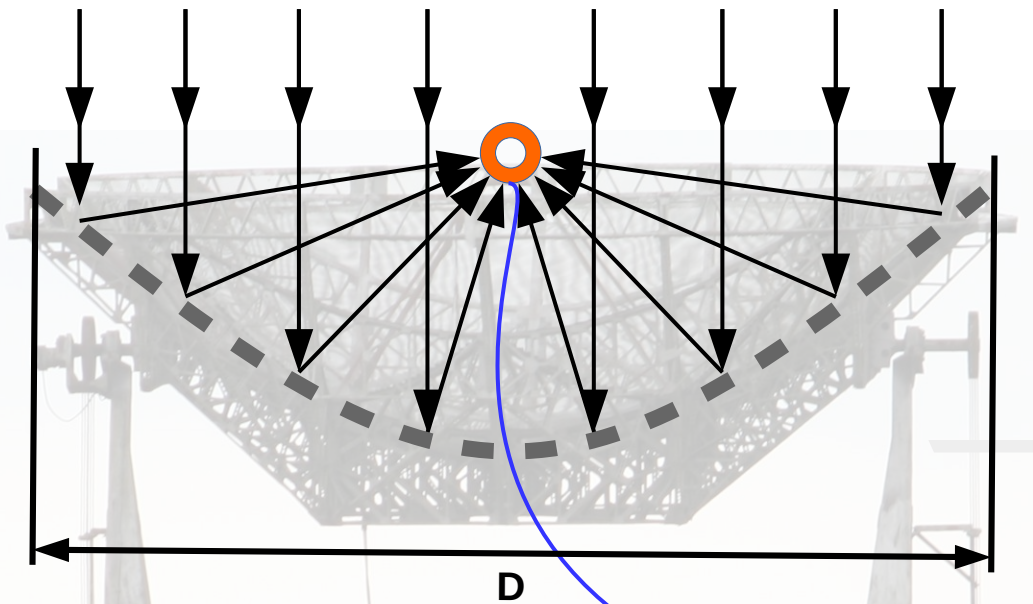
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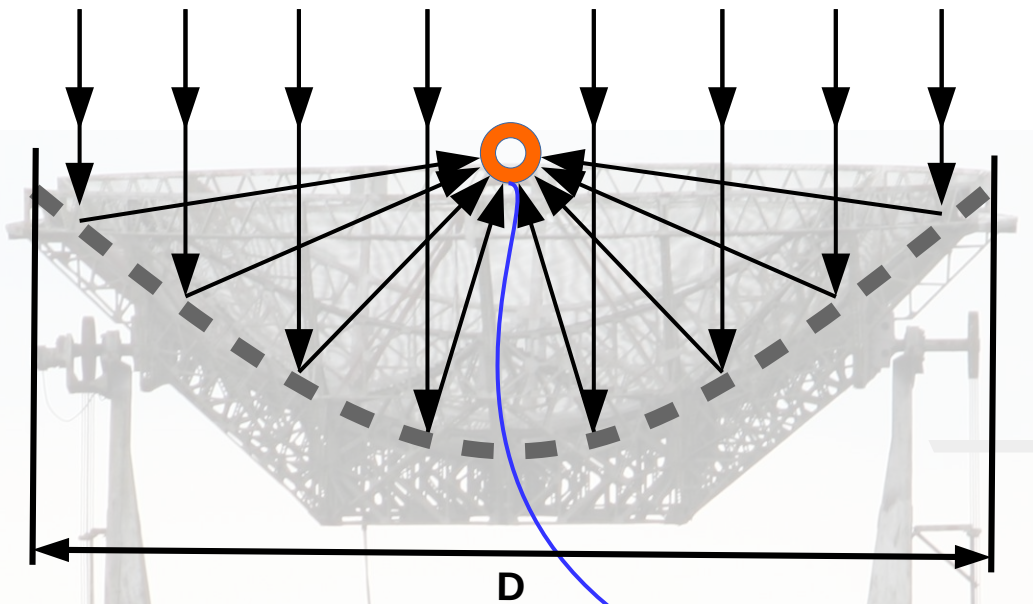




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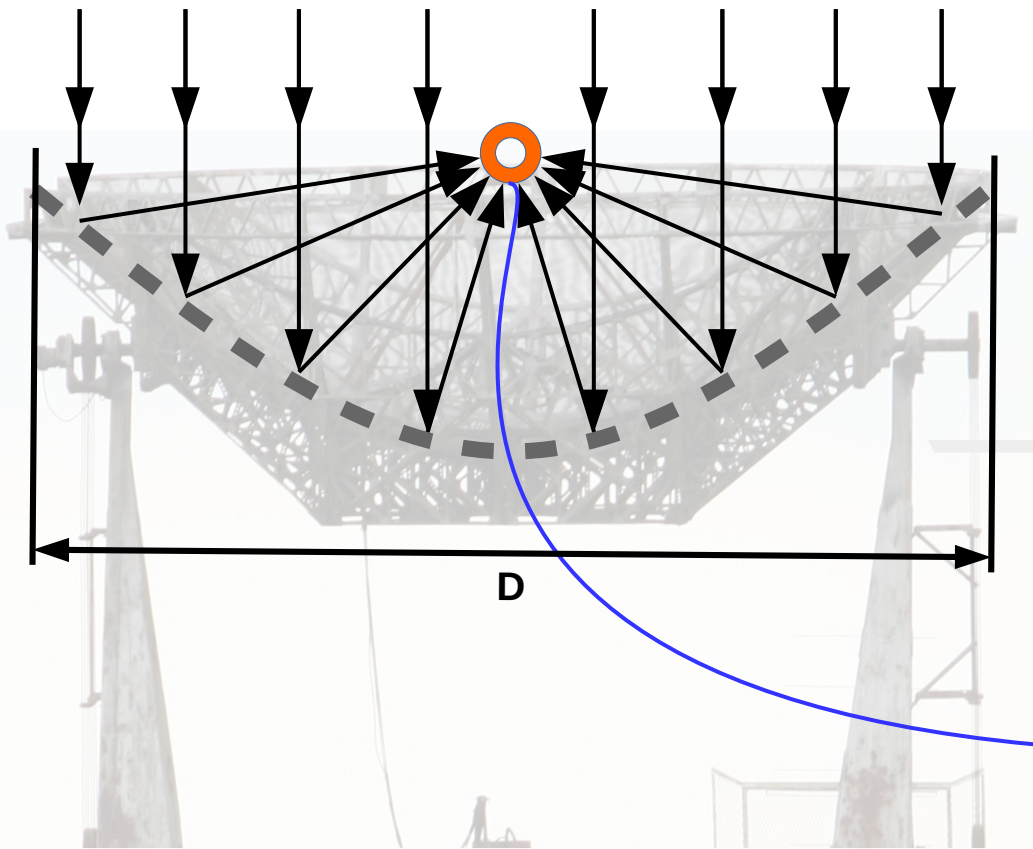






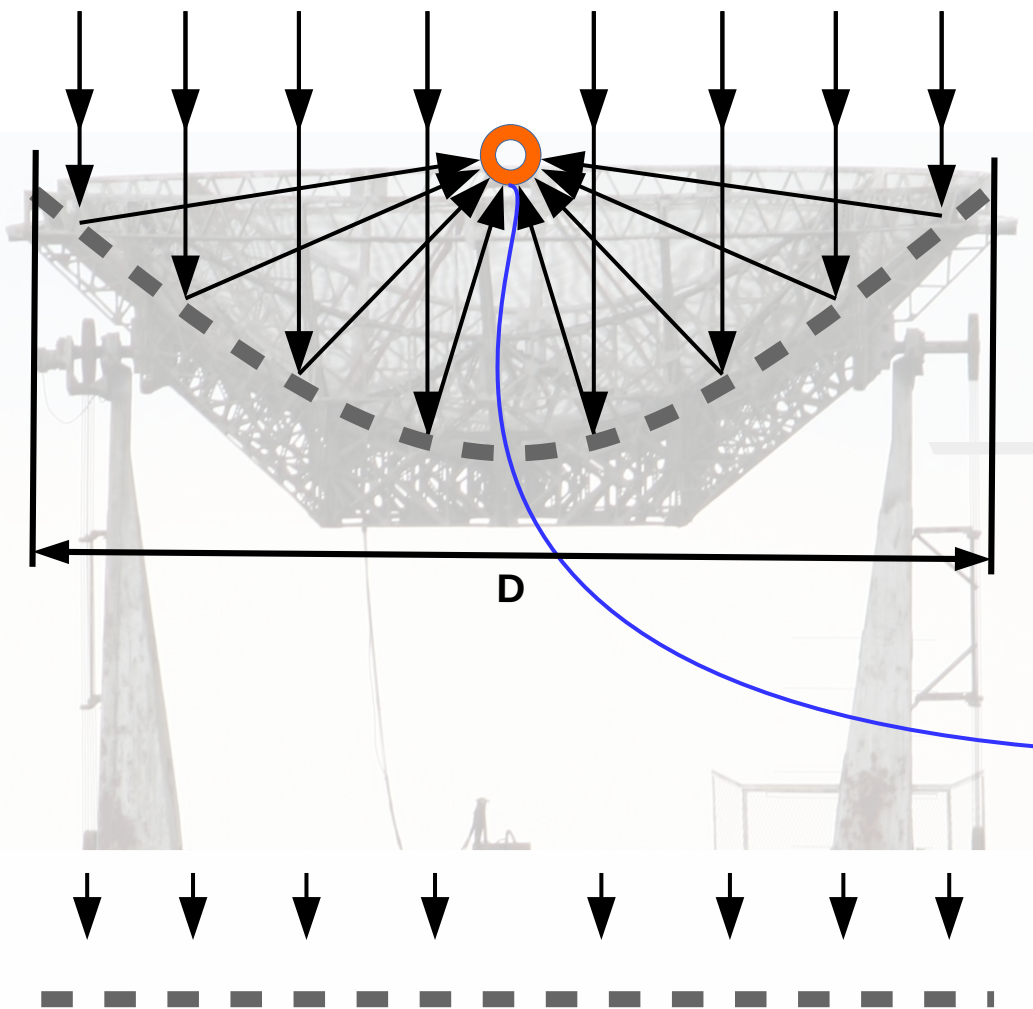
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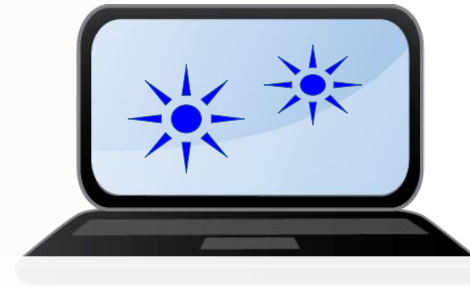


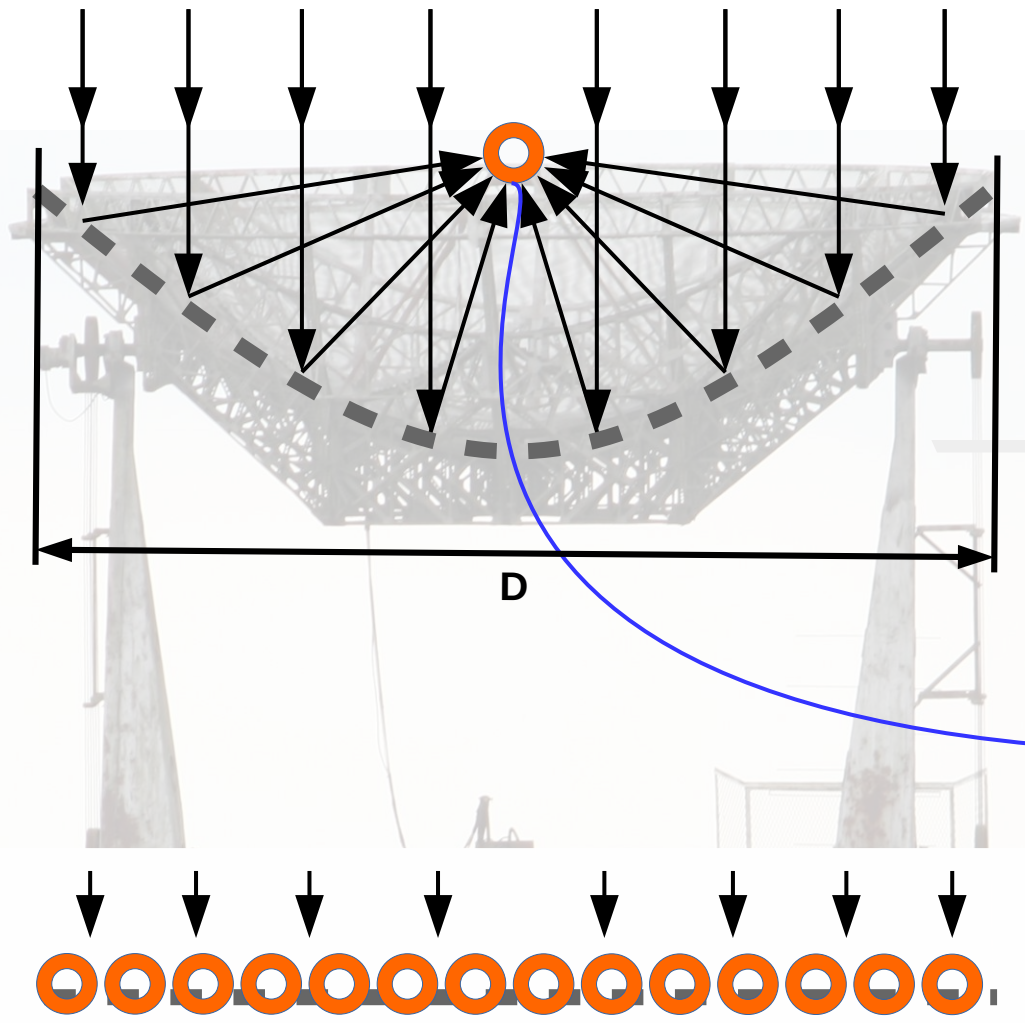
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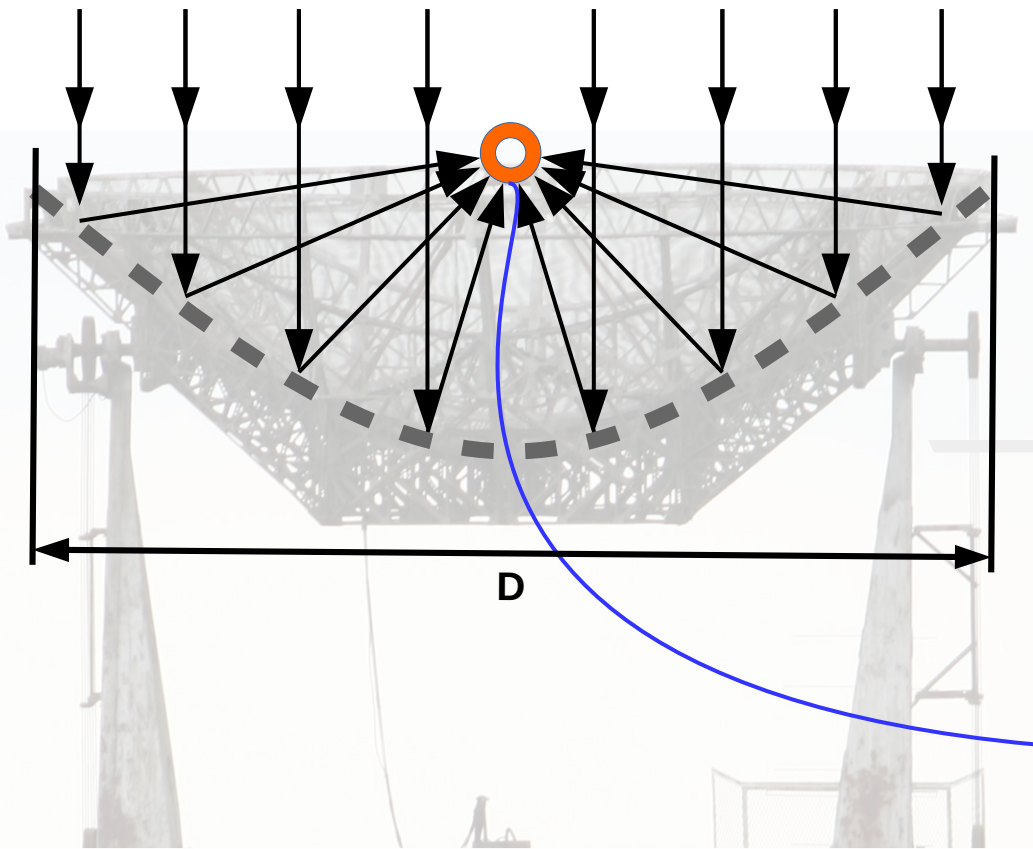


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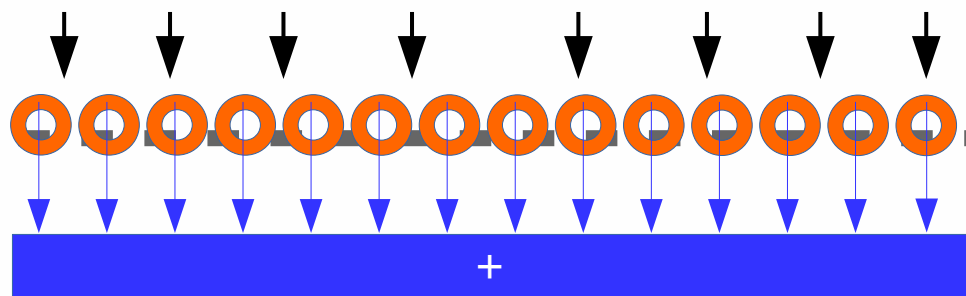
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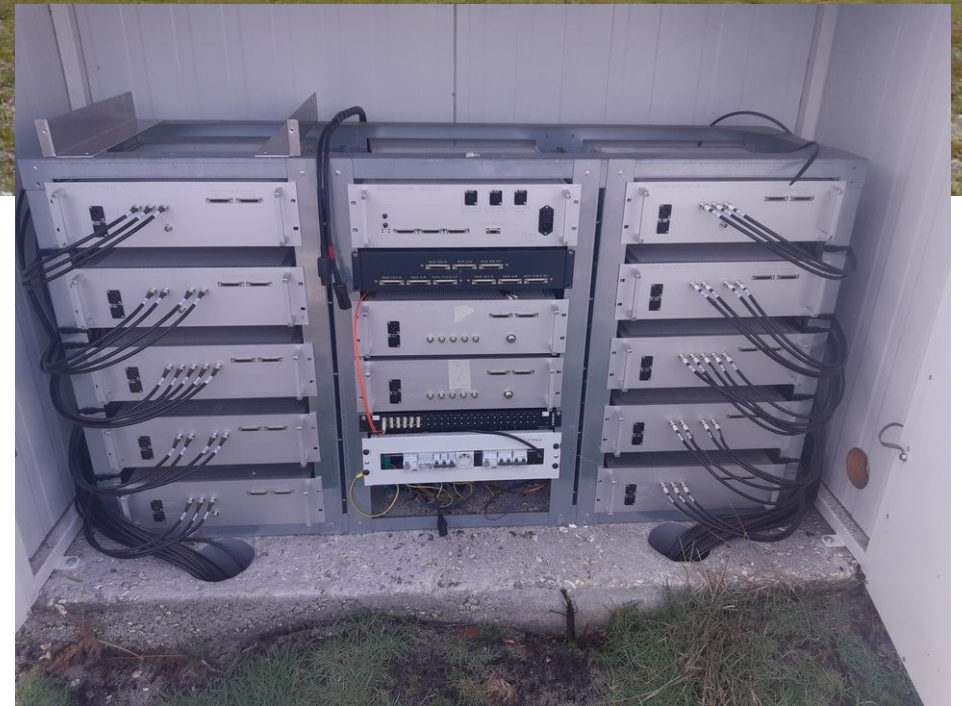
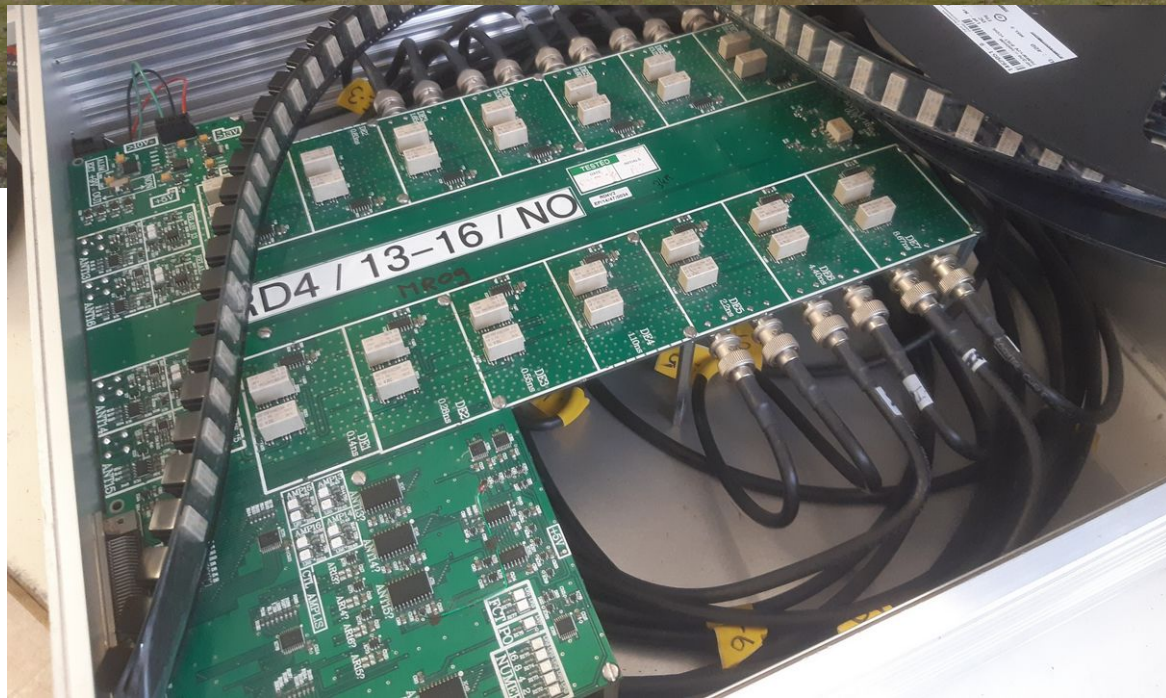
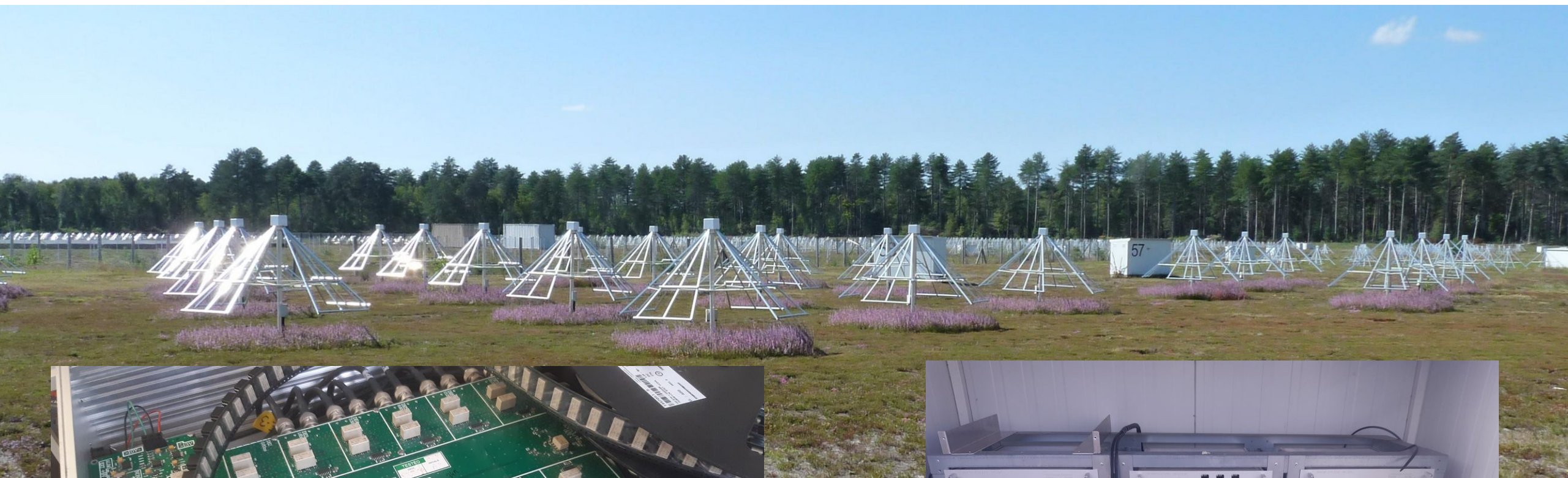




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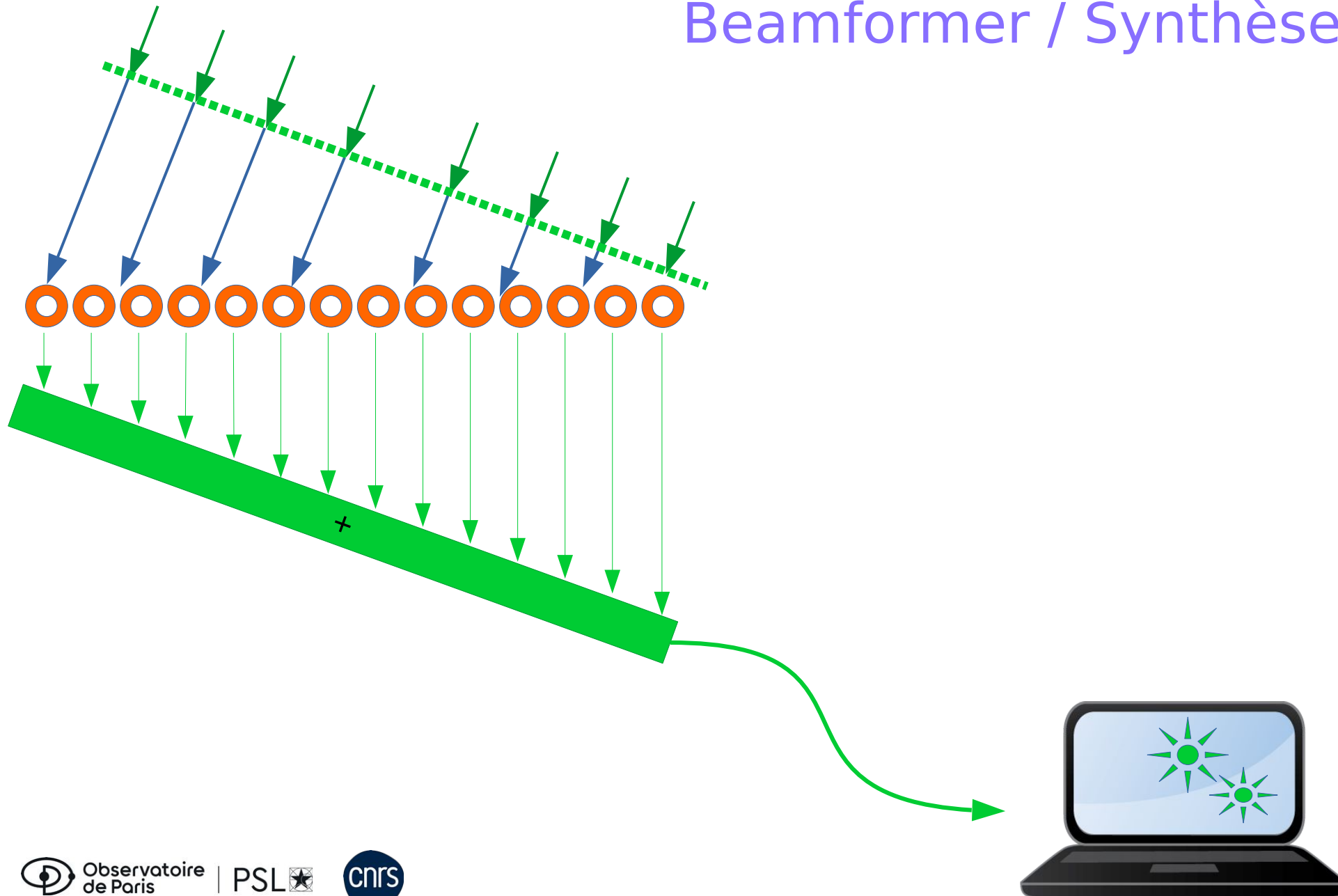


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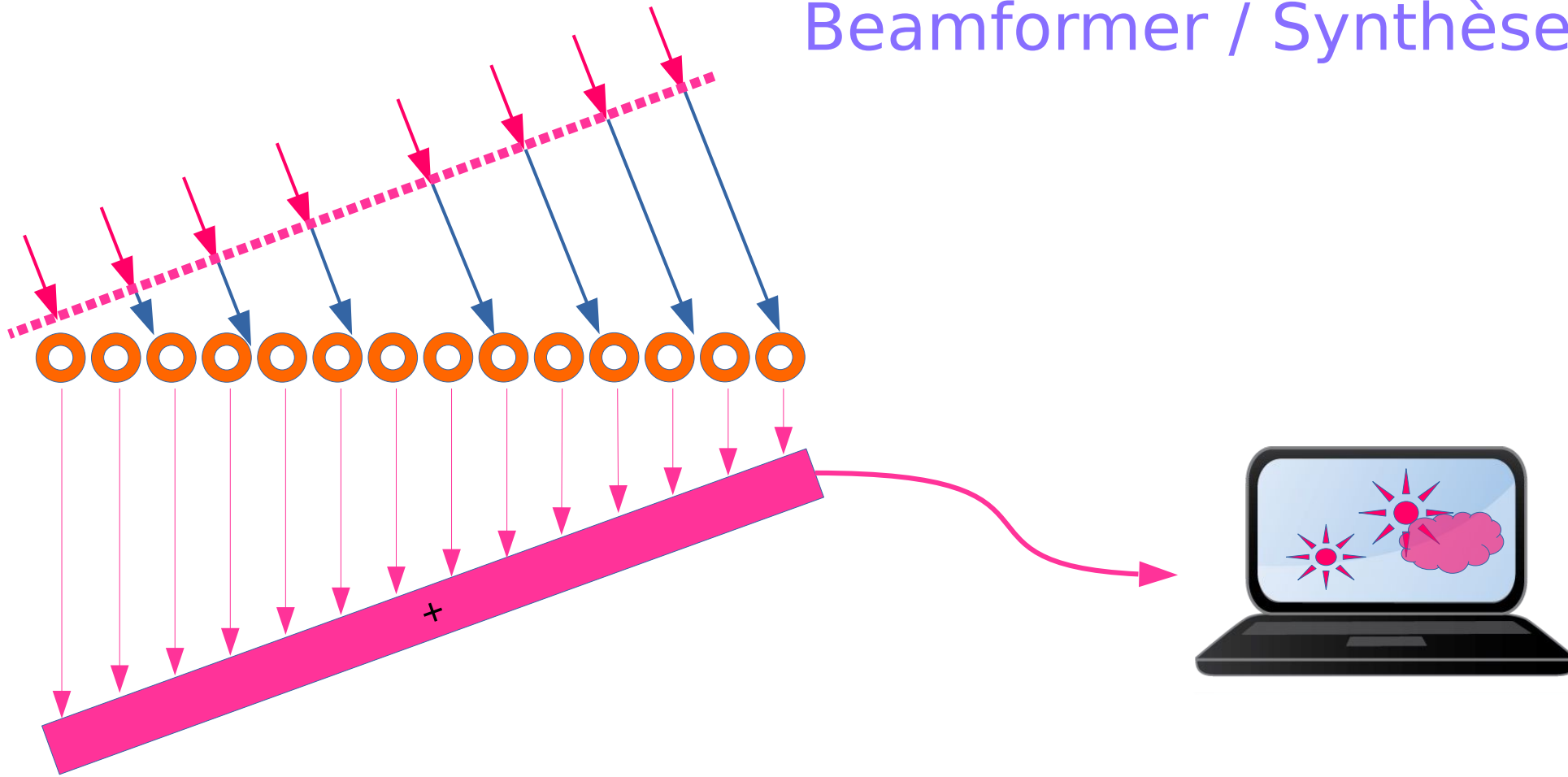


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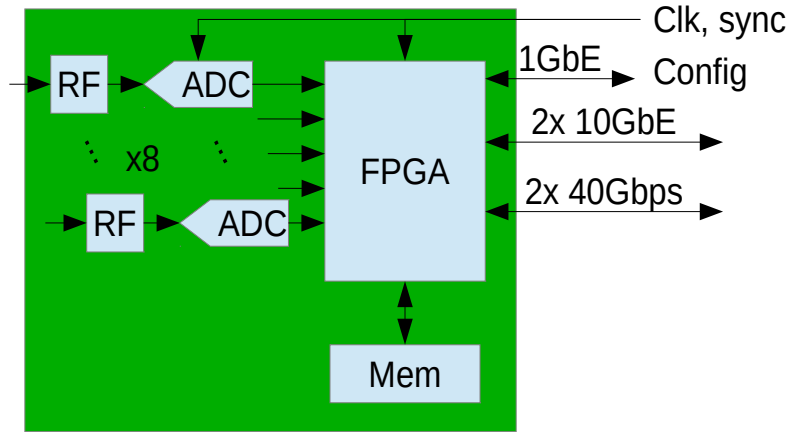
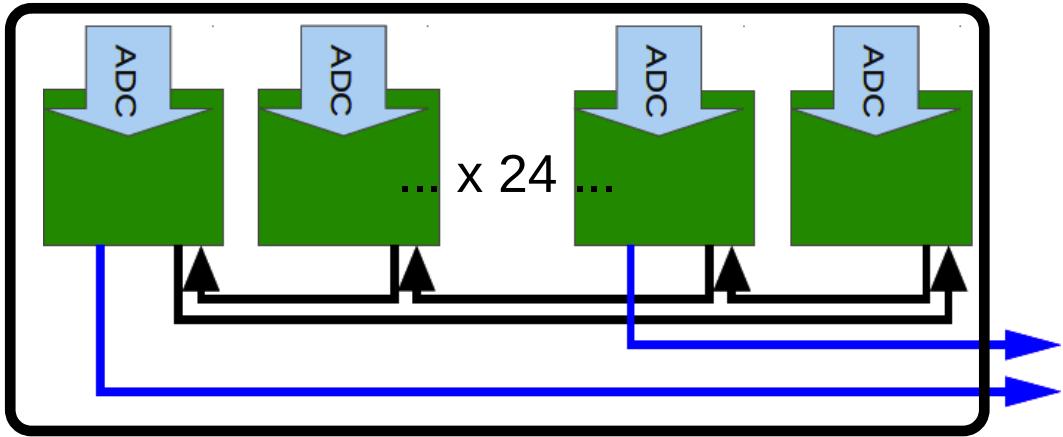
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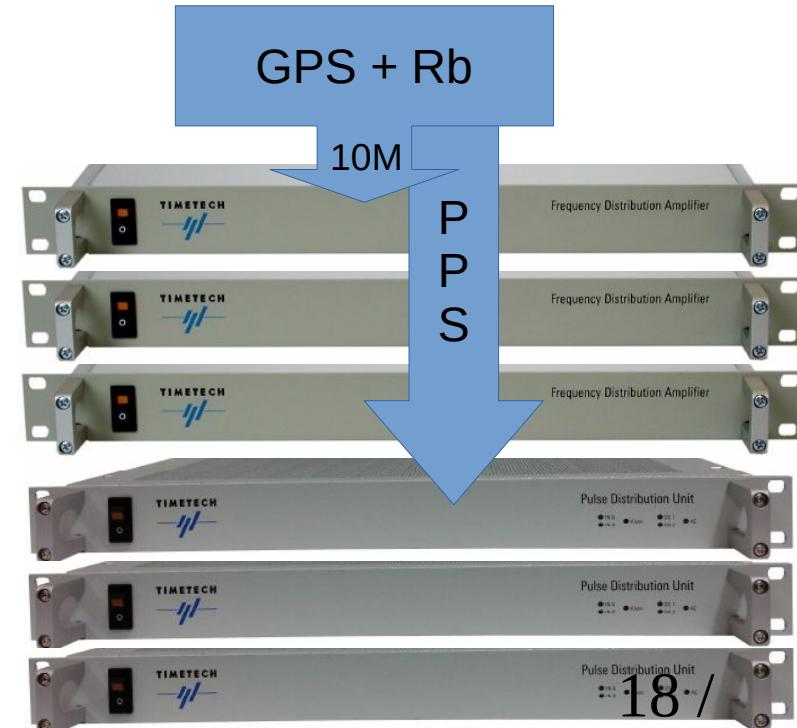
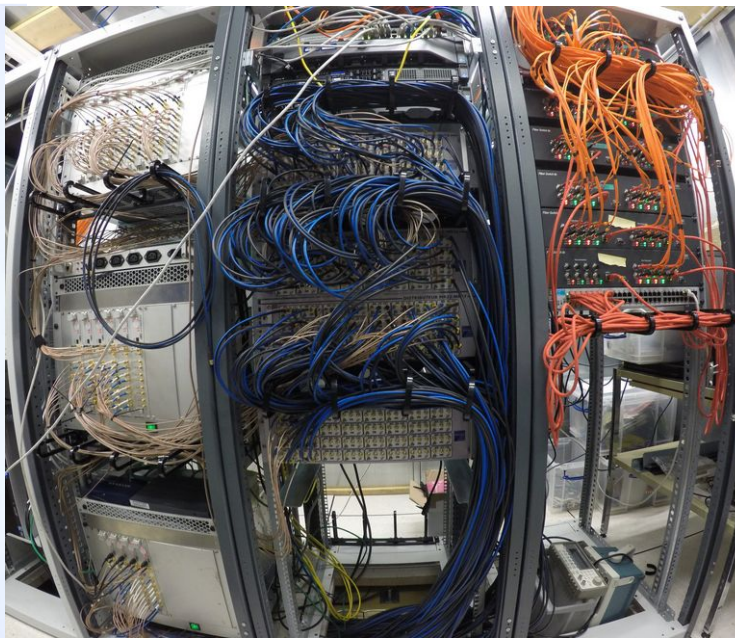
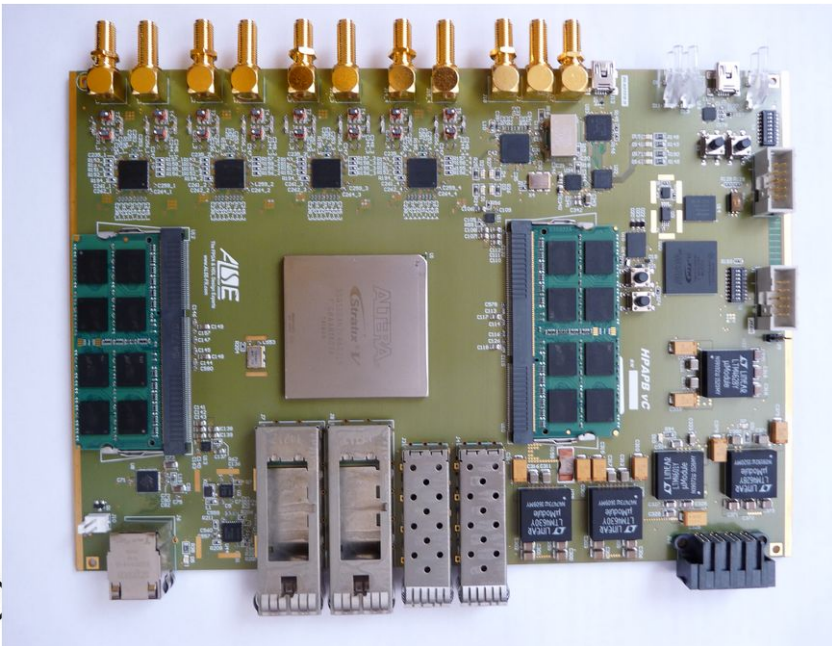


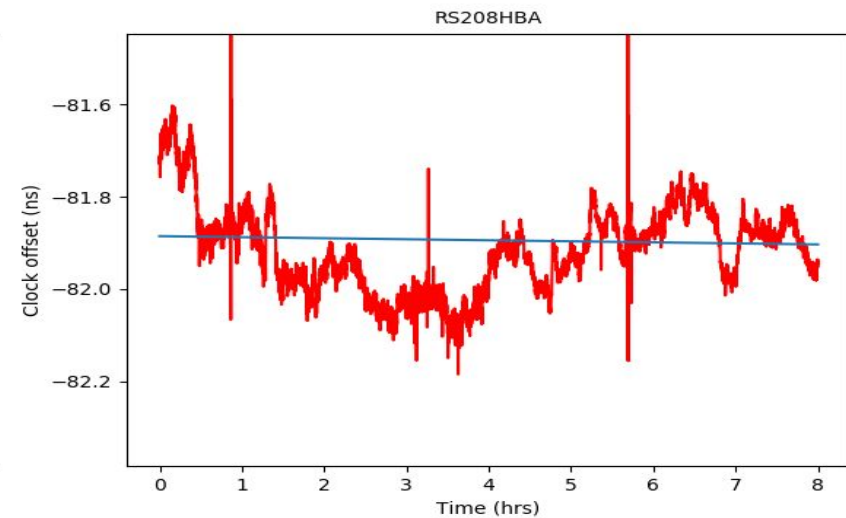
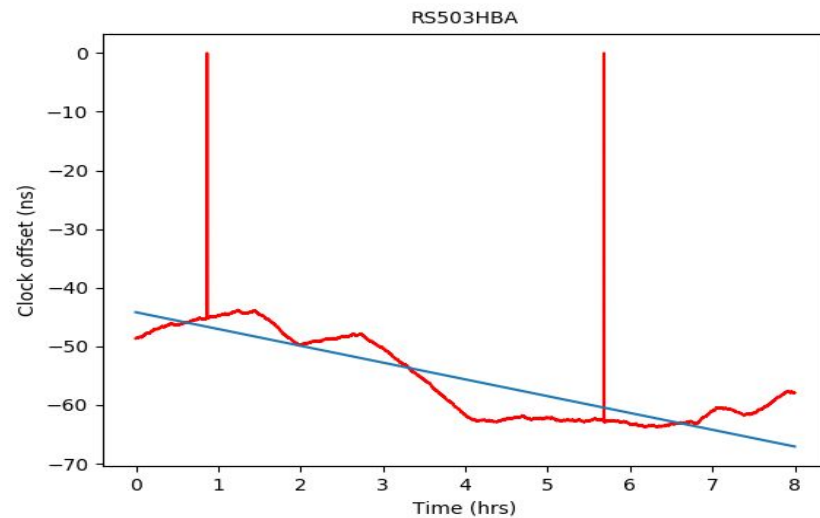
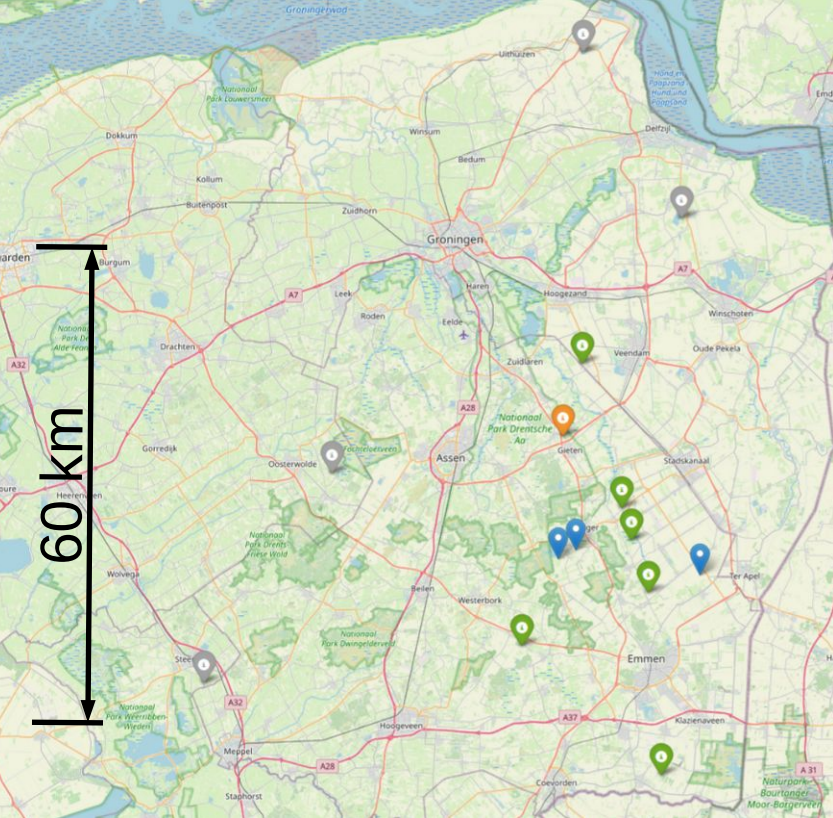




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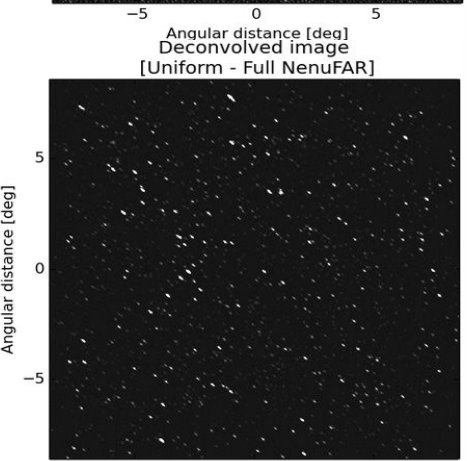
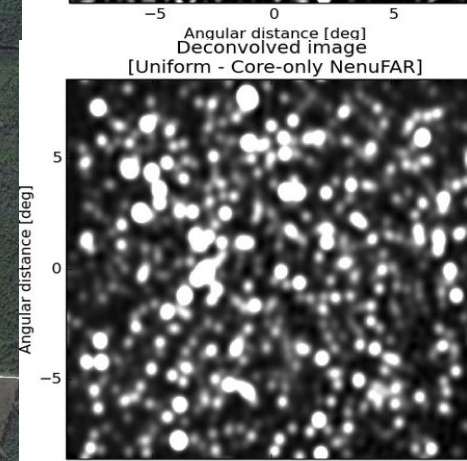
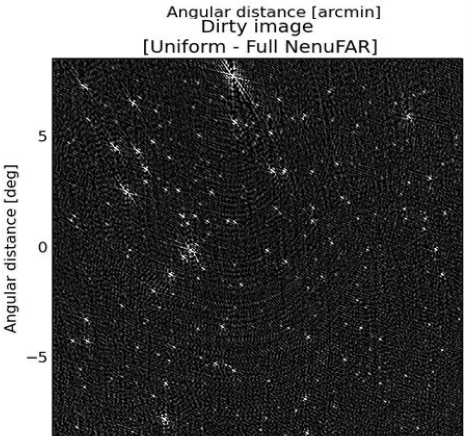
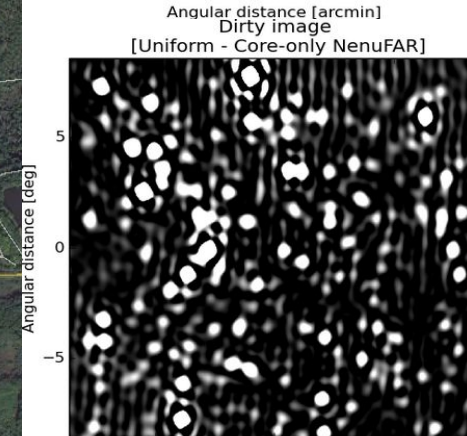
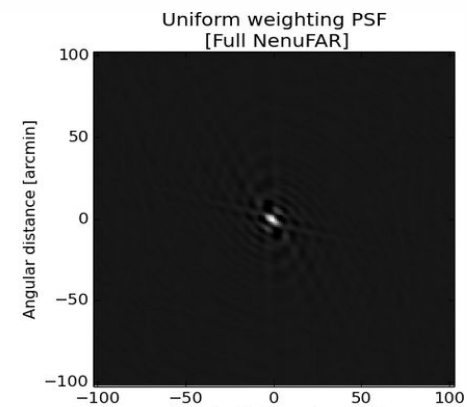
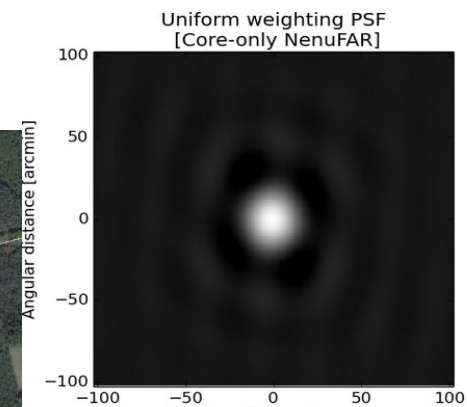
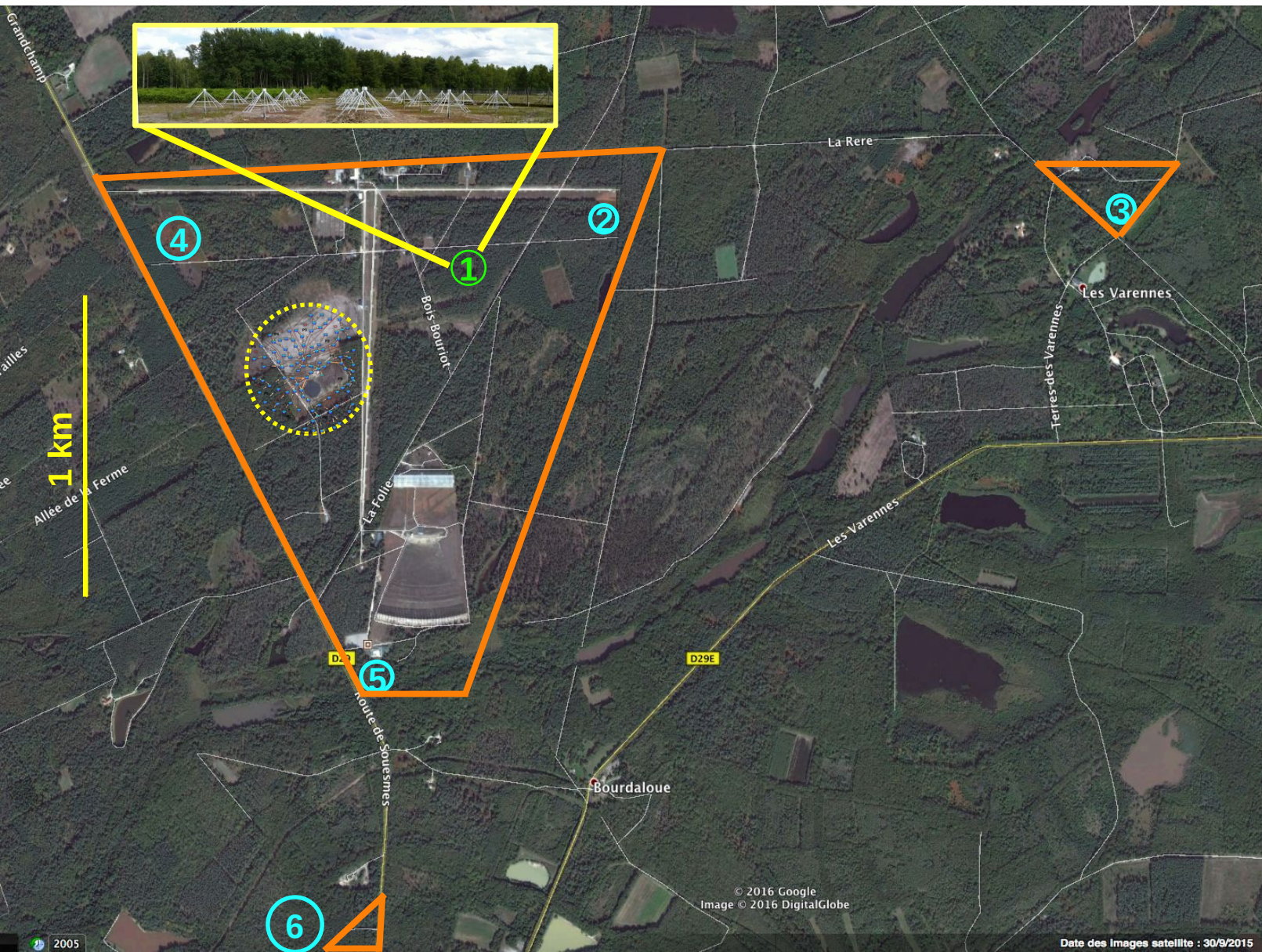


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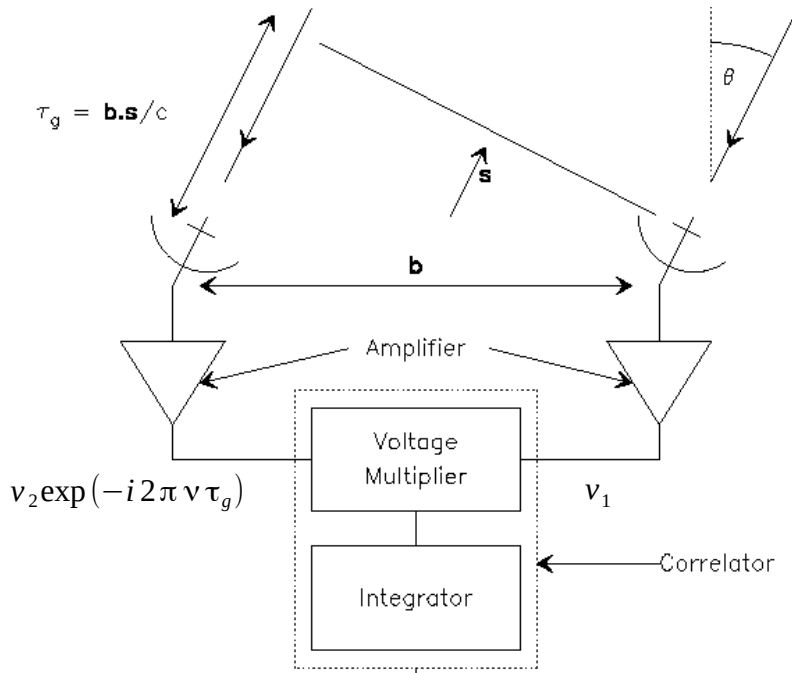
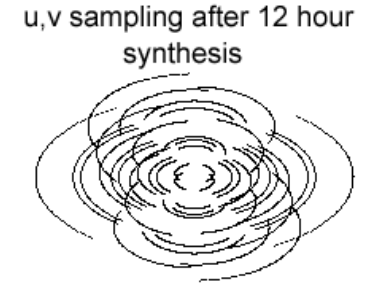
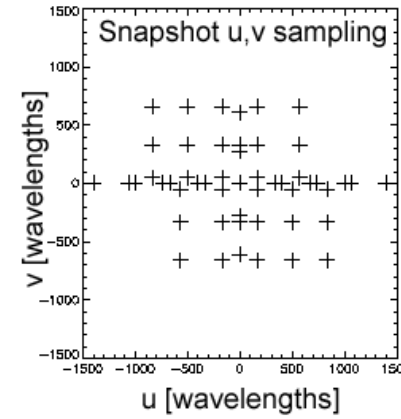
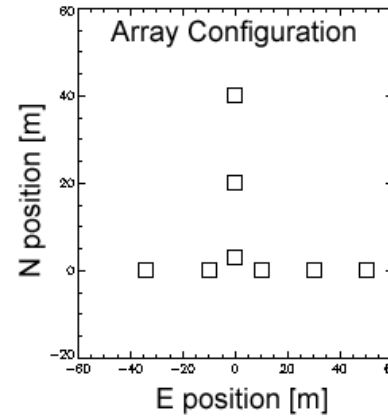
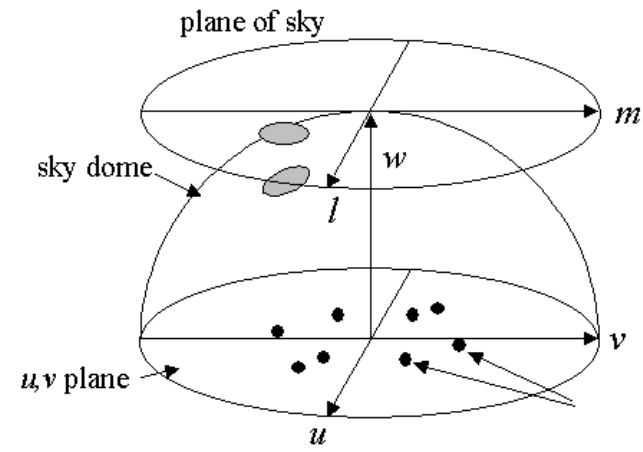


# NenuFAR-Radio-Imager

ANR «NRI» 2017-2019

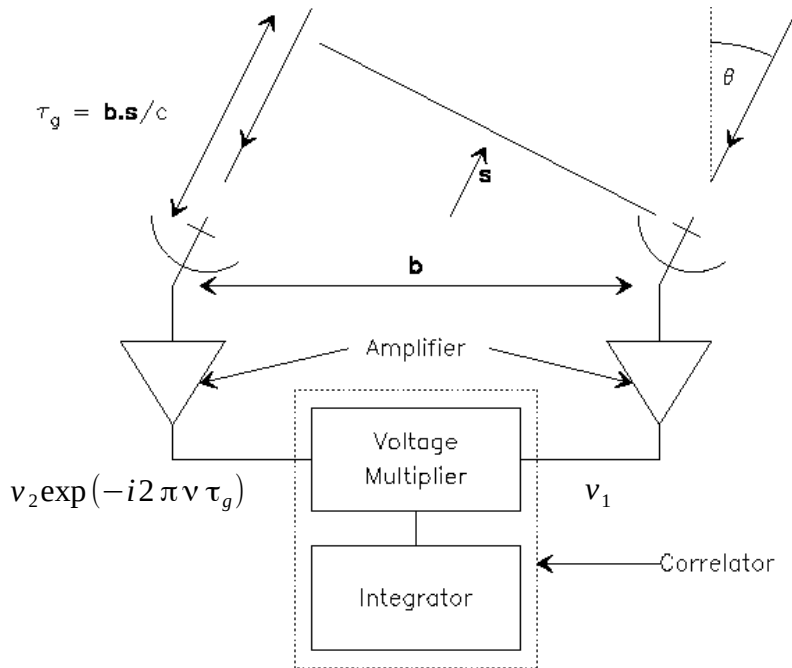
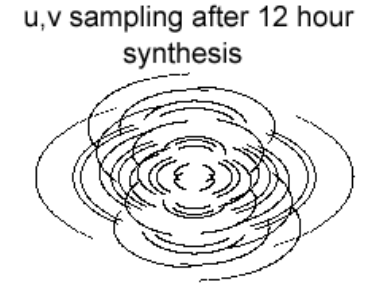
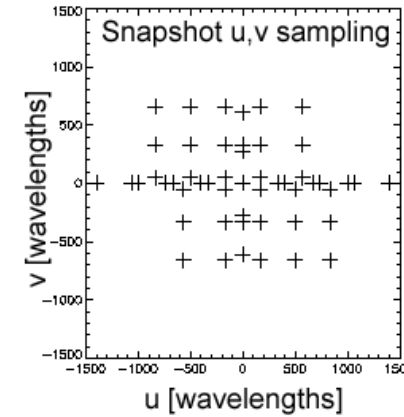
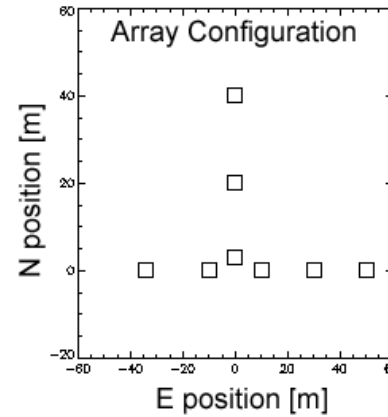
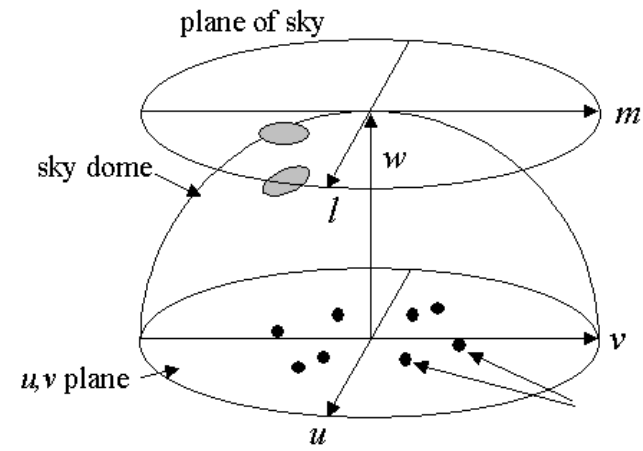


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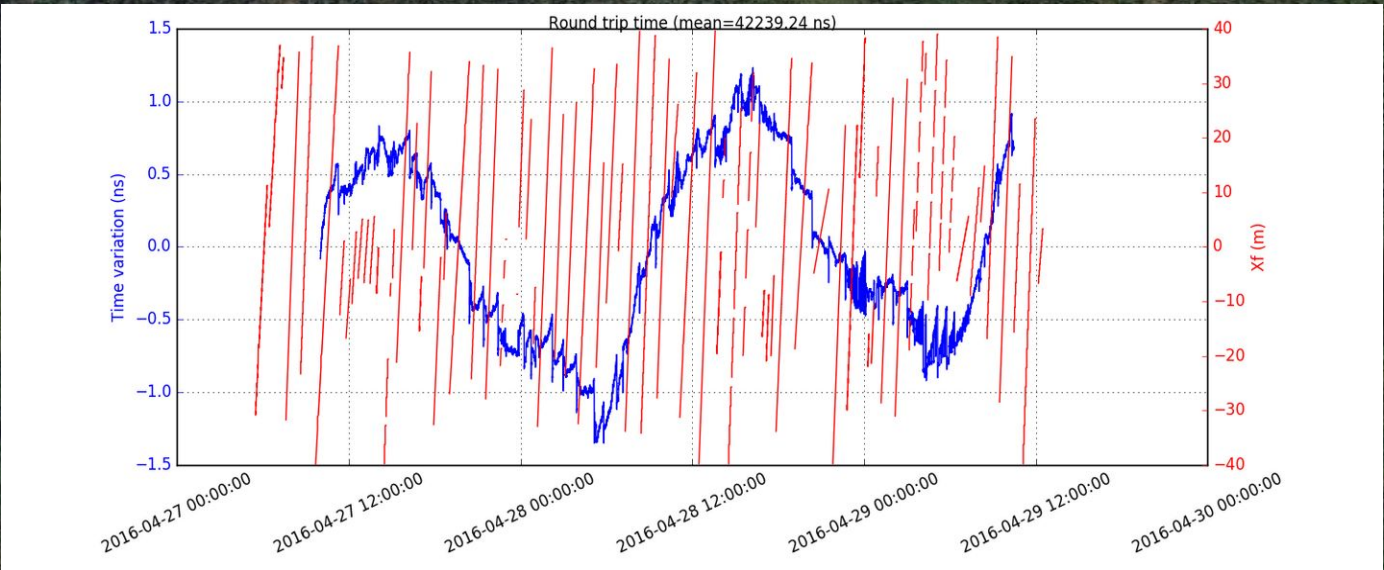
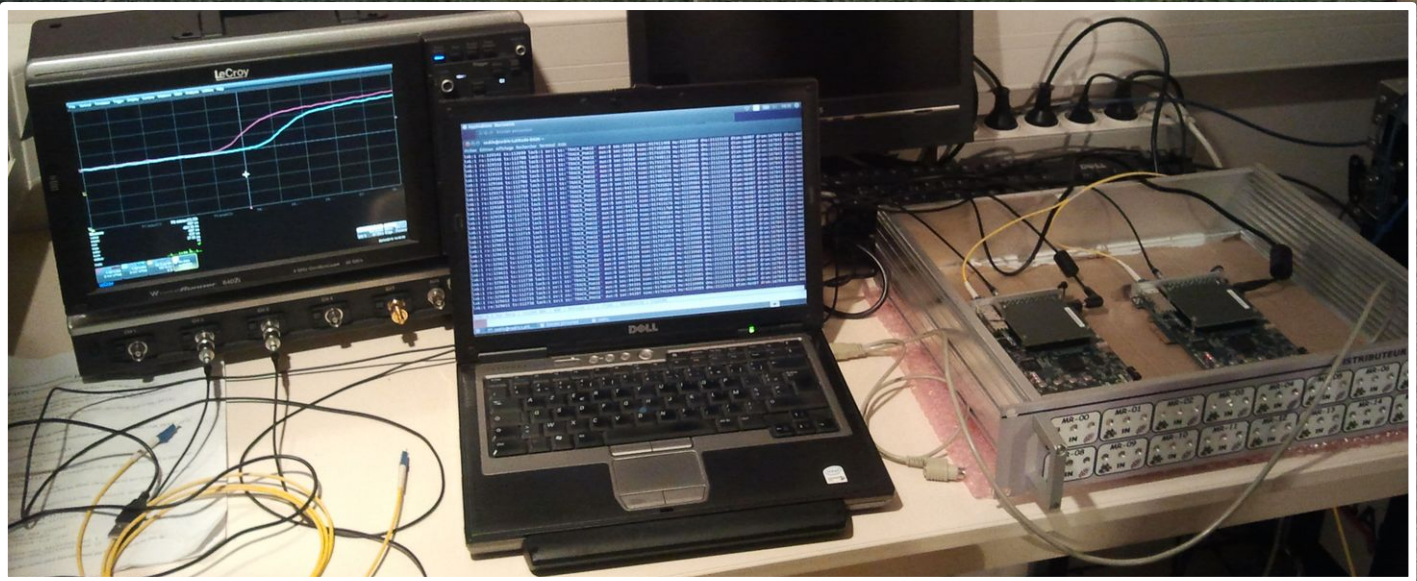


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- Antennae/Freq transpose is costly
- $N$  feeds  $\rightarrow N(N+1)/2$  visibilities
  - 96 MRs + 6 MRDs polarisés  $\rightarrow$  20k visibilities
- Instrumental stability required for MRDs (remote mini-arrays)  $\rightarrow$  WRS + WR-LENs

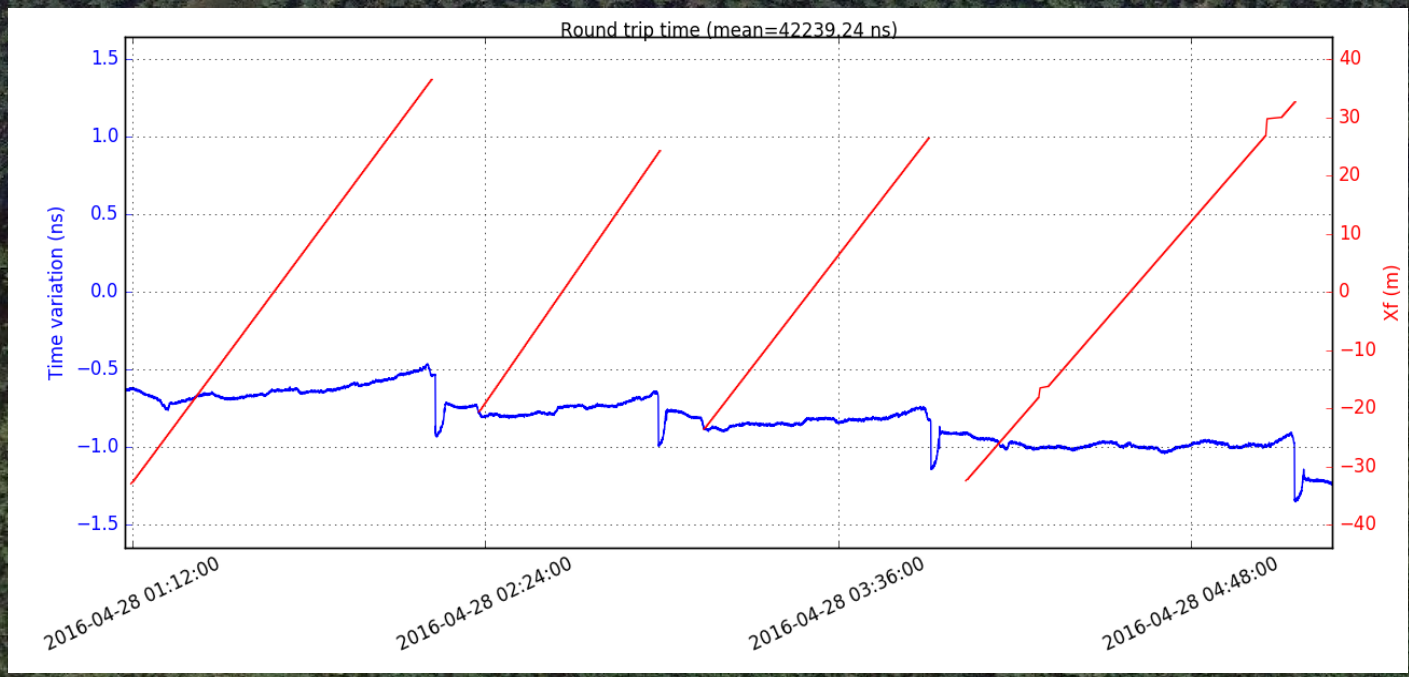
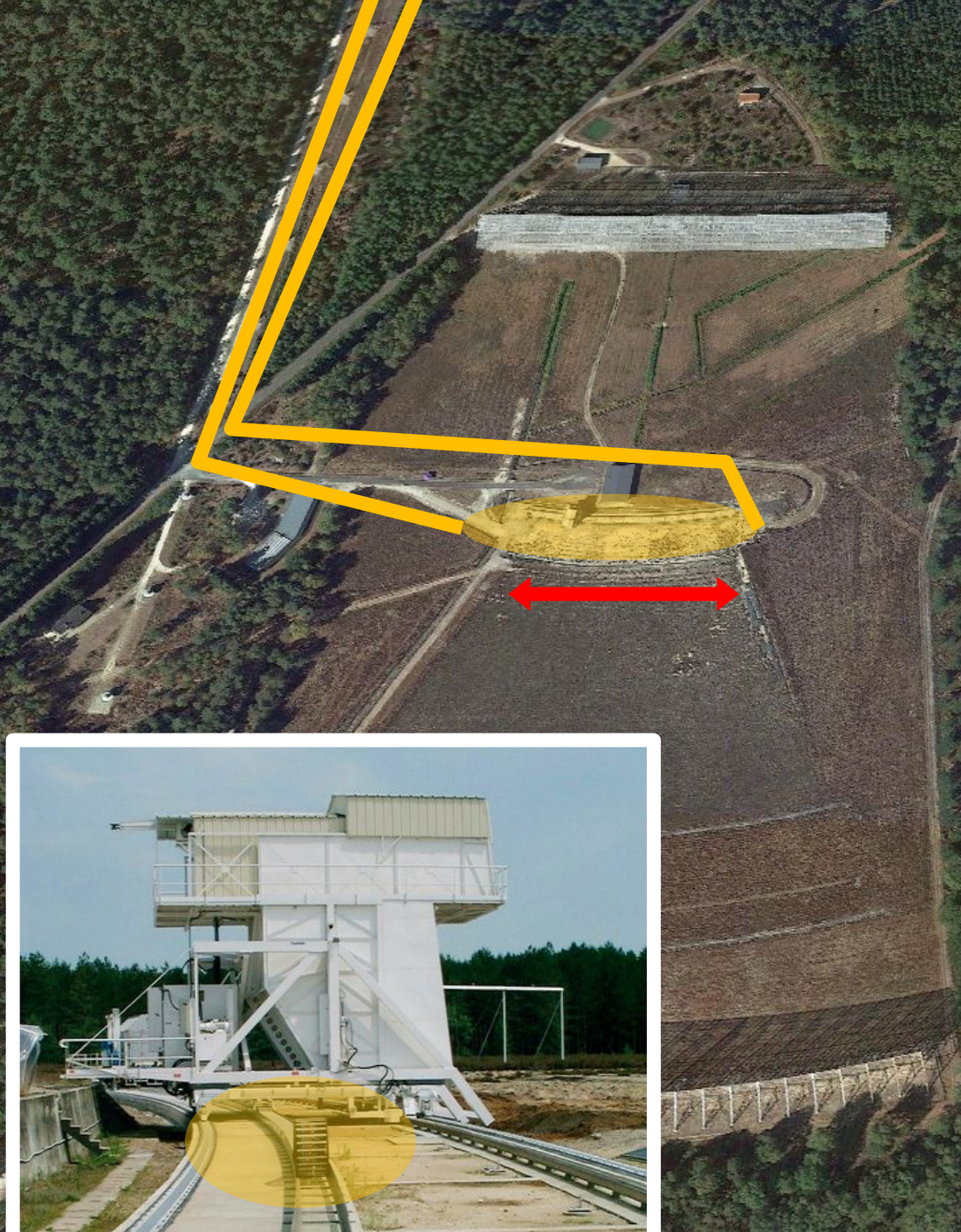


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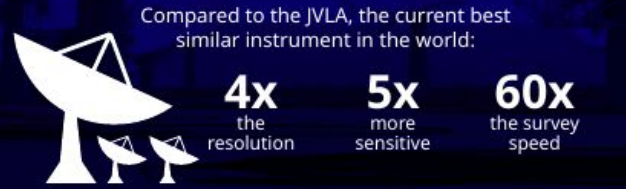
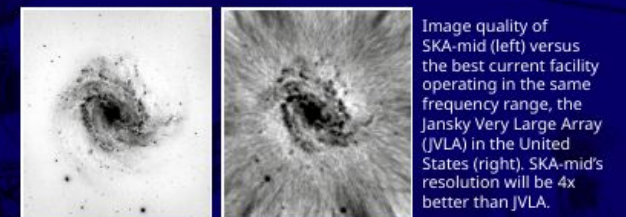


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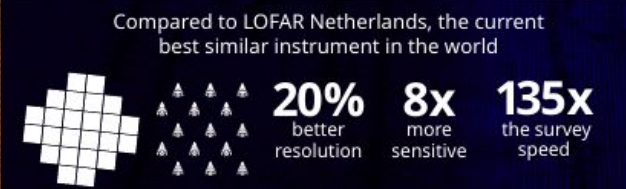
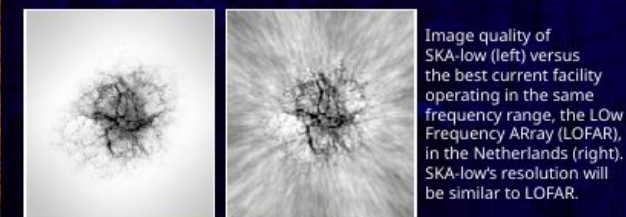
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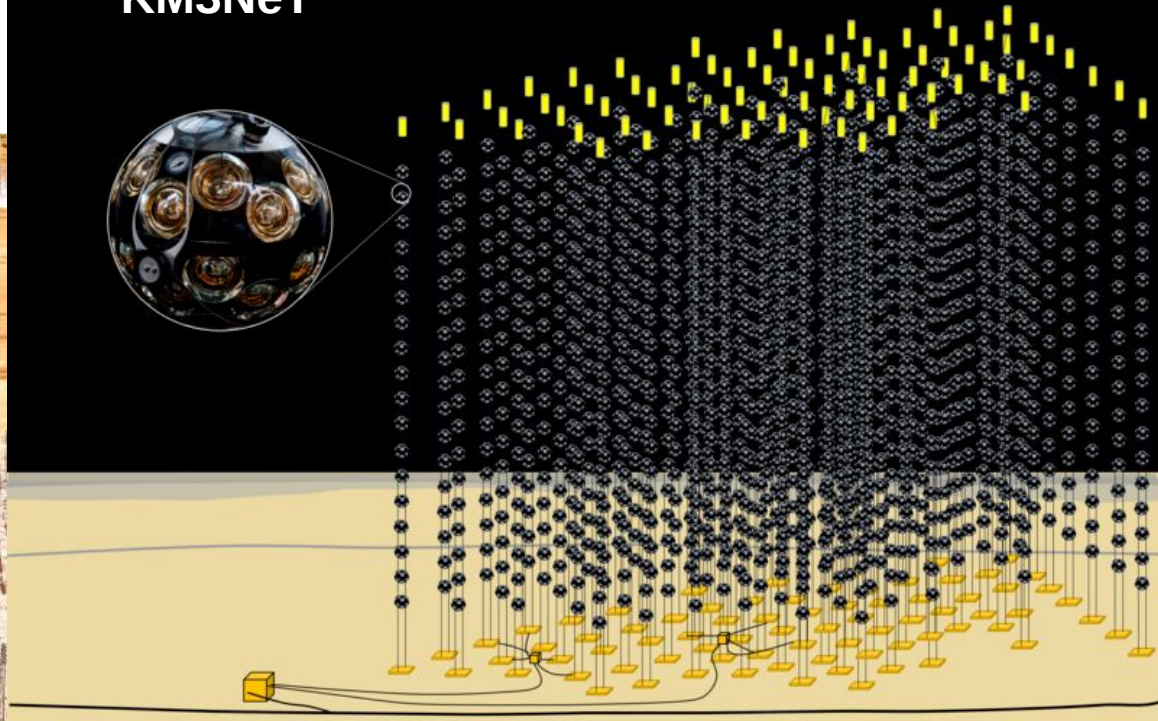


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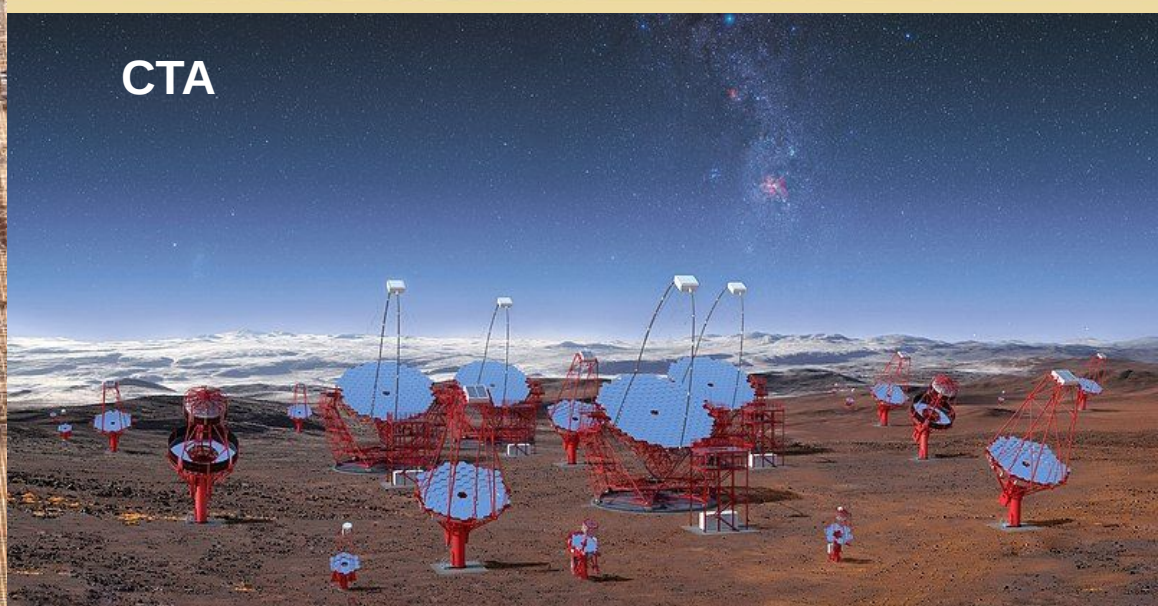
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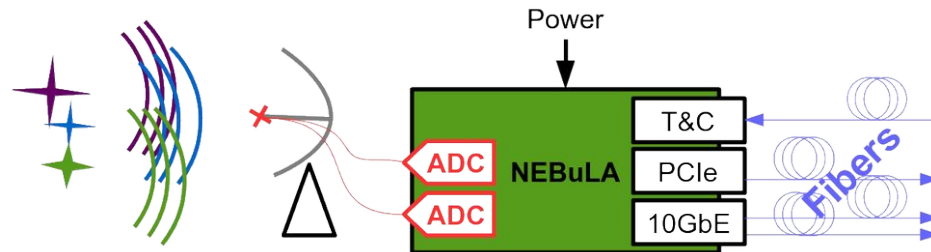


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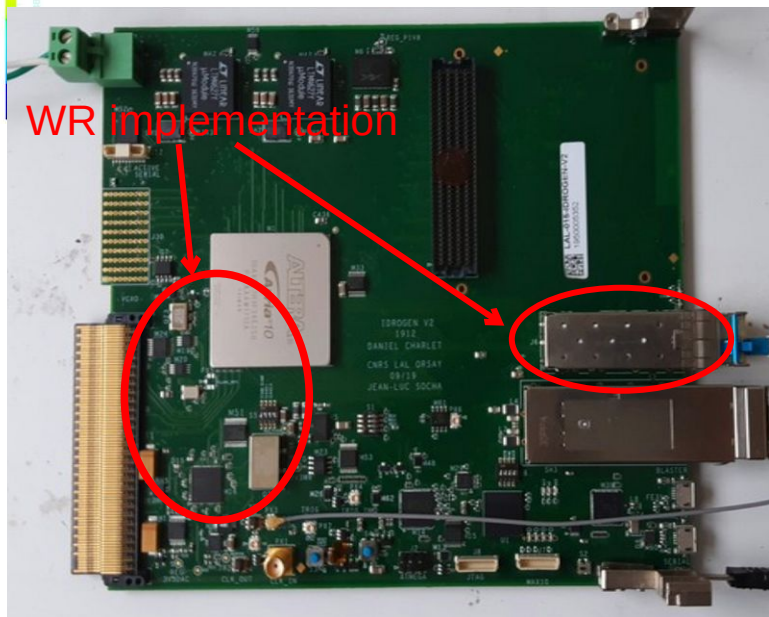
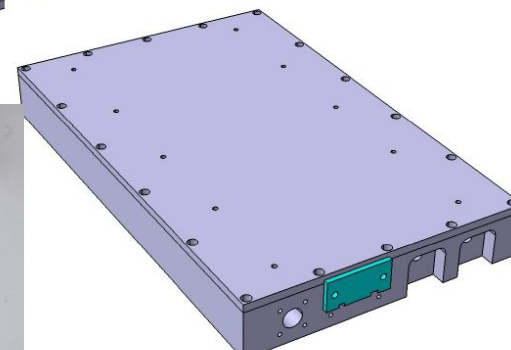
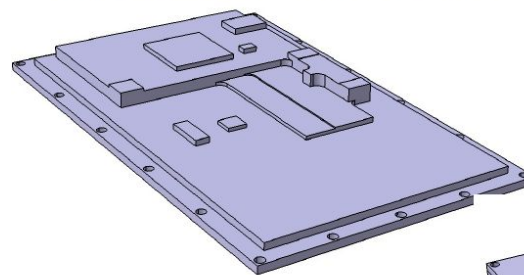


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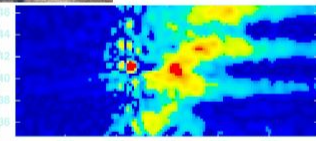


PAON IV : Mecanic for IDROGEN board



WR implementation

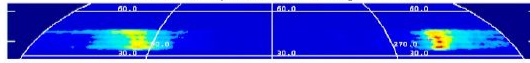
- LAL / IJCLab :
  - FPGA PCB dev
  - Soft Ctrl-Cmd
  - Firmware
- USN / ORN :
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  - Qualif ADC
  - Instrumentation RadioAstro
- SYRTE :
  - Métrologie Tps-Freq



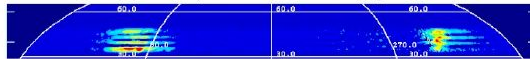
A: input LAB map at 1420 MHz



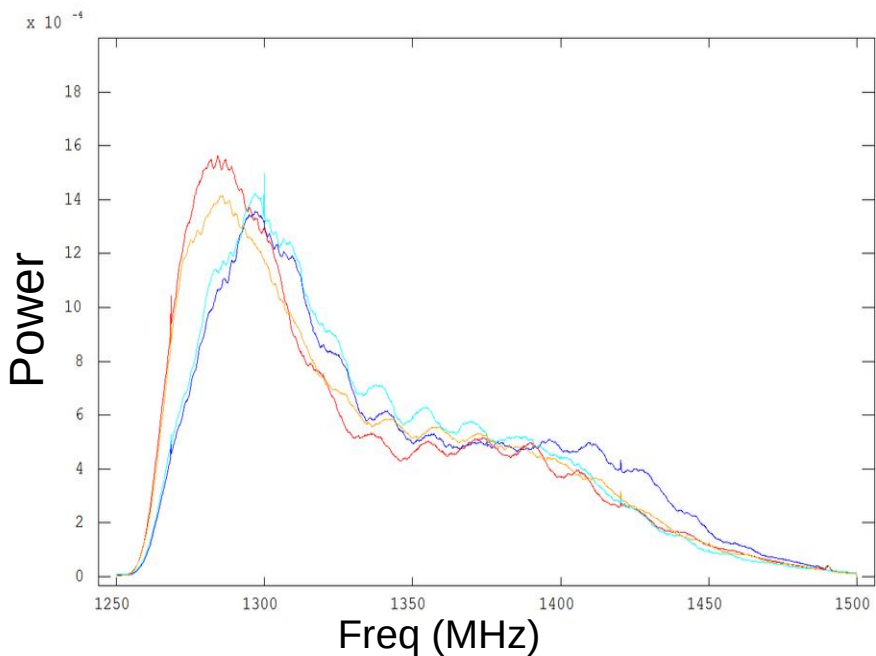
B : reconstructed map from LAB after filtering at 1420 MHz



C : reconstructed map from November data after filtering at 1420 MHz

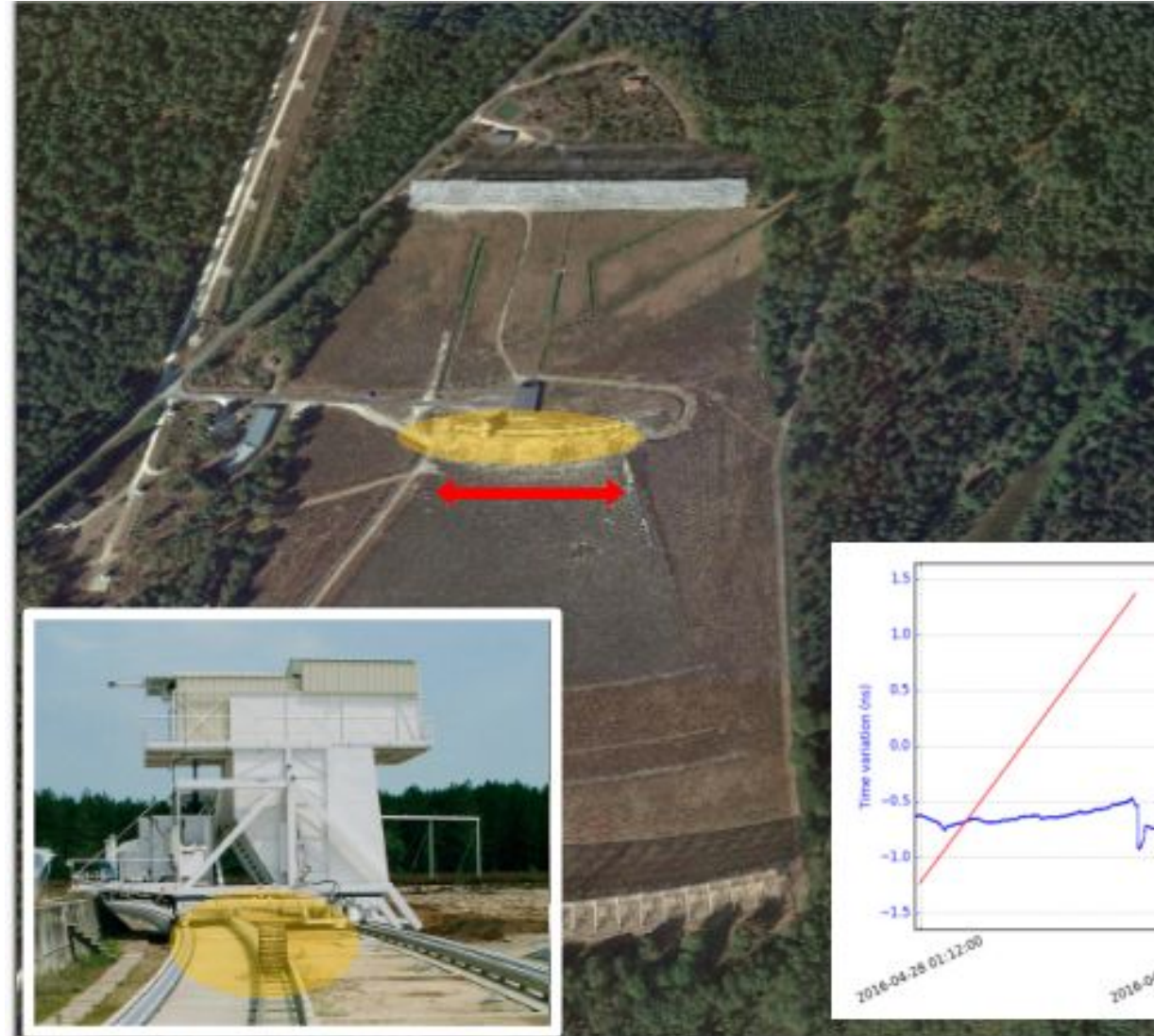


Reconstructed map at 1420.4 MHz from PAON-4 Nov.2016 observations



# Timing Pulsar au NRT

- Illustration de la variabilité du délai dans les fibres de qqes 100ns (corrigé par WR)
- Et les câbles RF entre chariot et labo Hors-Champ ???
- Déplacement de la numérisation dans le chariot (+PPS/10M)
  - Augmentation de la bande
    - 500 MHz → 1.6 GHz
  - Meilleure précision de timing
    - Délai du lien mobile corrigé par WR
    - Délai du lien par T°C corrigé par WR

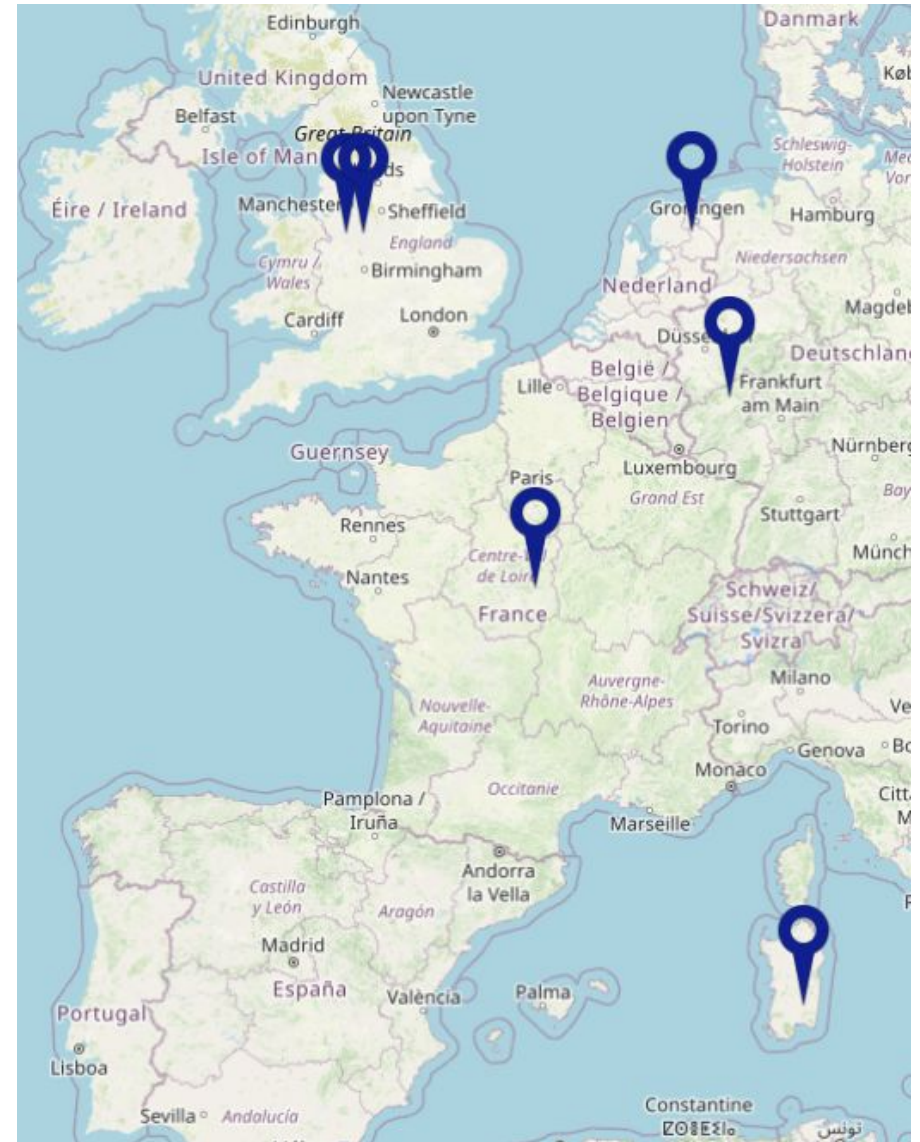
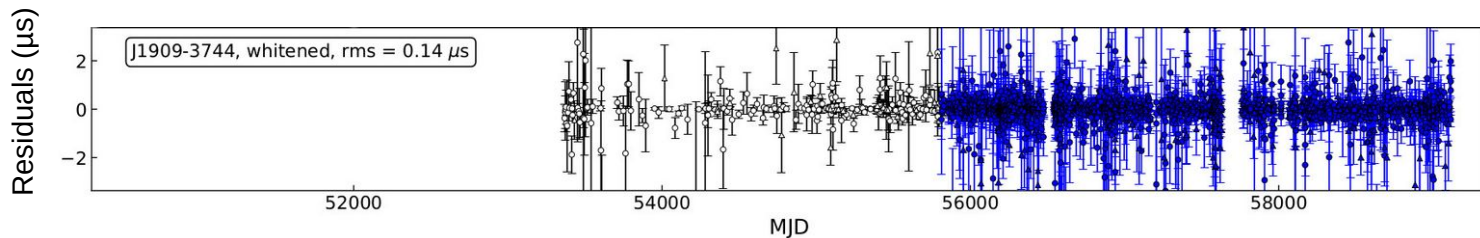




# Timing Pulsar (EPTA)



- Ultra-low-frequency gravitational waves
- High-precision time-of-arrival (TOA) data for 25 MSPs (+ models) from 6 telescopes
- A common time reference would really help ! (WR over REFIMEV ?)



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